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Traffic Kills 13 On Weekend To Equal Record

By The Associated Press

Thirteen traffic fatalities during the weekend boosted Michigan's highway death toll to a record-equalling 2,298 in 1968.

State Police said that with eight days left this year, and fatalities occurring at the rate of six a day, Michigan would count its worst year in history in traffic deaths.

The 2,298 fatalities in 1966 was the record for any previous year.

The Associated Press count of weekend traffic deaths began at 6 p.m. Friday and ended at midnight Sunday.

The fatality which brought the state to its record-matching toll was that of 43-year-old Leo A. Czarnecki of South Bend, Ind. Czarnecki was killed Sunday night when he was hit by a car while walking along U.S. 31 near Niles in the southwestern corner of the state.

Others killed were:

Marion Offill, 51, and his wife, Leola, 52, of Flint, when their car skidded on a slippery road and smashed into a tree Sunday night in Saginaw County.

Richard C. James, 37, of Central Lake, who was a passenger in a car involved in a head-on collision Sunday evening on M75 near Boyne City.

Kenneth Jemson, 11, of Battle Creek, when he was hit by a car Sunday in Battle Creek. Police said the driver, Walter Dzior, 31, of Battle Creek, was charged with negligent homicide.

Robert E. Davis, 59, of Bay City, whose car hit a tree Saturday in Bay City.

THIS DOUBLE exposure photo shows a full moon and the blastoff of the huge Saturn 5 rocket carrying the Apollo 8 spacecraft to a planned moon orbital mission. (AP Wirephoto)

Apollo In Moon's Gravity Pull Today

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Racing unerringly toward the grip of lunar gravity, the daring explorers of Apollo 8 reported today they are in good

Apollo 8 commander Frank Borman reported: "We're looking ahead, of course, to tomorrow, when we'll be just 60 miles from the moon."

Air Force Col. Borman, Navy Capt. James A. Lovell and Air Force Maj. William A. Anders reach a climactic moment at 3:29 p.m. EST today when they will be captured by the gravity field of the moon—the first time man will be in the grasp of another heavenly body.

Borman sounded chipper today in a conversation with Astronaut Michael Collins, the ground communicator at Mission Control Center.

"We're all feeling fine," he said and commented that the extra sleep allotted each man had helped them combat illnesses that plagued them Sunday.

Shopping Days

The tug of the moon will increase Apollo 8's speed, and the spacemen will sweep toward their historic lunar orbit. A burst from their spaceship engine at 4:59 a.m. Tuesday is to swing them into orbit just 69 miles above the surface.

Glynn Lunney, a flight controller, said today that "everything with the spacecraft and the people looks good for the lunar orbit. The spacecraft is working in an essentially perfect fashion."

He said the only problem was in a secondary cooling system.

"It appears," he said, "that perhaps the back pressure valve did not close completely in the secondary evaporator and that's being trouble shot right now. I don't think that's anything serious."

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Ky Suggests Direct Saigon-Vietcong Talks

PARIS (AP) — Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky of South Vietnam raised the prospect of direct Saigon-Vietcong talks as a Christmas lull settled on the negotiations in Paris.

Ky was on his way home today to talk with President Nguyen Van Thieu, and all delegations began an informal Christmas recess with no agreement in sight on how to start their four-way conference on ending the Vietnam war.

Before he departed Sunday, Ky told a CBS panel that his government will never accept the Vietcong's National Liberation Front "as an entity, but its reality."

"Once we recognize its reality, we have to face this reality and try to solve it," he said.

Ky said several times he would propose to Thieu direct contacts between their govern-

ment and its opposition in South Vietnam, including the NLF leaders. But his imperfect English made his precise meaning unclear.

His talk of accepting the Vietcong's "reality" appeared to envisage an entirely new policy toward the NLF, but at other times he seemed to restate the old Saigon offer to talk directly with individual NLF leaders who openly relinquish their Communist allegiance.

Ky stressed that such contacts would have to take place in South Vietnam, not Paris, and that the Saigon government would not recognize the NLF as an equal. And he said once again that there could be "no question of a coalition with the Communists."

CBS broadcast the Ky interview Sunday on its "Face the Nation" program.

Shortly after the broadcast, Hanoi's chief negotiator, Xuan Thuy, told a Paris rally the peace conference can only get off the ground "when a government has been set up in Saigon which really wants to negotiate with the National Liberation Front."

Today's Chuckle

The man who thinks he can eat and drink anything in any quantity and never suffer any consequences is the Internal Optimist.

Pueblo Crew Beaten Just Before Release

Concentrated Terror Finale For Crewmen

SEOUL (AP) — North Korea freed the surviving 82 crewmen of the U.S. intelligence ship Pueblo today, and they were given medical checkups at a hospital near Seoul before flying to rejoin their families in San Diego, Calif.

The Pueblo's skipper, Cmdr. Lloyd M. Bucher, told a news conference that he and his men in the two weeks before their release were subjected to "the most concentrated form of terror that I've ever seen or dreamed is possible."

Bucher said about half his crew were beaten badly last week and that many of them still had blackened eyes and bruised ribs.

Bucher added that he thought many in his crew were in "very bad physical condition" from malnutrition. "The bruises and that sort of thing are going to heal up very quickly," he said.

Apology Made
A U.S. military spokesman in Seoul said he did not know how soon the Pueblo men would leave for the United States. But it was thought here they might leave Tuesday.

The spokesman said there were no immediate plans to let the men talk to their families by telephone from Korea.

To win the release of the men after 11 months of captivity, a U.S. representative at the armistice hut in Panmunjom signed a statement apologizing for "the grave acts of espionage committed by the U.S. ship . . . after having intruded into the territorial waters of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea." But first he repudiated the statement and said he was signing it only to free the ship's crew, a procedure to which the North Koreans agreed.

Denied Intrusion

Bucher also told his news conference that at no time did the Pueblo sail within 13 miles of North Korea, let alone inside the 12-mile limit set by the North Korean government.

"The day we were captured we were some 15 to 16 miles from shore when the North Korean ships showed up and began their harassment tactics."

"I surrendered the ship because it was nothing but a slaughter out there and I couldn't see allowing any more people to be slaughtered or killed."

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Kidnaper Held On \$500,000 Bond

Faith In God Sustained Mackle

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Barbara Jane Mackle, ranomed from a live burial for half a million dollars, clung to her father's arm Sunday as the wealthy land developer explained he met kidnappers demands because "I had my faith to go on."

Robert Mackle and his daughter met newsmen Sunday for the first time since her release Friday. The meeting was on the site of her North Georgia burial.

Weakened, dehydrated and 10 pounds lighter, Barbara smiled radiantly Sunday.

"I just feel wonderful and I just want to thank everybody for their prayers and their concern for both myself and my family," she said.

A few hours later Gary Steven Krist, a husky 23-year-old escaped convict, was booked into the Dade County jail in Miami on a kidnapping charge.

Krist was held in a safety cell in lieu of \$500,000 bond, the amount of the ransom.

Carried \$18,000

A posse captured Krist early Sunday on wild, swampy Hog Island on Florida's lower Gulf Coast. The FBI said he carried a suitcase containing about \$18,000 in \$20 bills. Another \$480,000 in 20s was found nearby in the rotting hull of an abandoned boat.

The ransom was paid in used, wrinkled \$20s.

Krist, suffering from exhaustion, was taken to a Fort Myers hospital where he was later arraigned on the kidnap charge.

ROBERT MACKLE, left, smiles, as he helps his daughter, Barbara Jane, from an automobile at the Atlanta Municipal Airport Friday night. The 20-year-old coed was kidnapped at gunpoint Tuesday from a motel just outside Atlanta. It was reported that the father paid \$500,000 ransom for her return. She was found buried in a dark coffin-like box 18 inches underground in a heavily wooded, isolated area northeast of Atlanta. (AP Wirephoto)

Cong Launches Attacks Before Cease-Fire

SAIGON (AP) — The Communist command launched a series of heavy attacks across South Vietnam during the weekend preceding the start tonight of its three-day Christmas cease-fire.

The heaviest fighting, often at hand-to-hand range with mortars and rockets falling on American troops at the rate of 100 a minute, raged only six miles from the truce site where U.S. and Viet Cong representatives are to meet Christmas Day to discuss the release of three American prisoners.

A force of 1,500 freshly equipped North Vietnamese soldiers stormed out of Cambodia Sunday morning and lost at least 103 dead and a huge pile of weapons and ammunition in a six-hour attack on an American patrol base 44 miles northwest of Saigon.

Outnumbered 3-1

The U.S. infantrymen, in deep bunkers but outnumbered by about three-to-one, reported 17 of their men killed and 12 wounded. Bazooka-firing North Vietnamese torpedoed their way through the barbed wire and fought in the trenches connecting the bunkers. At least 30 enemy bodies were strung along the barbed wire.

Six American B52 bombers attacked positions within three miles of the patrol base and of the truce site early today, dropping nearly 200 tons of explosives on "enemy activity, base camps, storage areas and bunker complexes," the U.S. command said.

Closer to Saigon, 400 North Vietnamese troops slashed into a South Vietnamese infantry company 16 miles southeast of the capital and triggered a seven-hour battle that raged until early today.

Rocket Attack

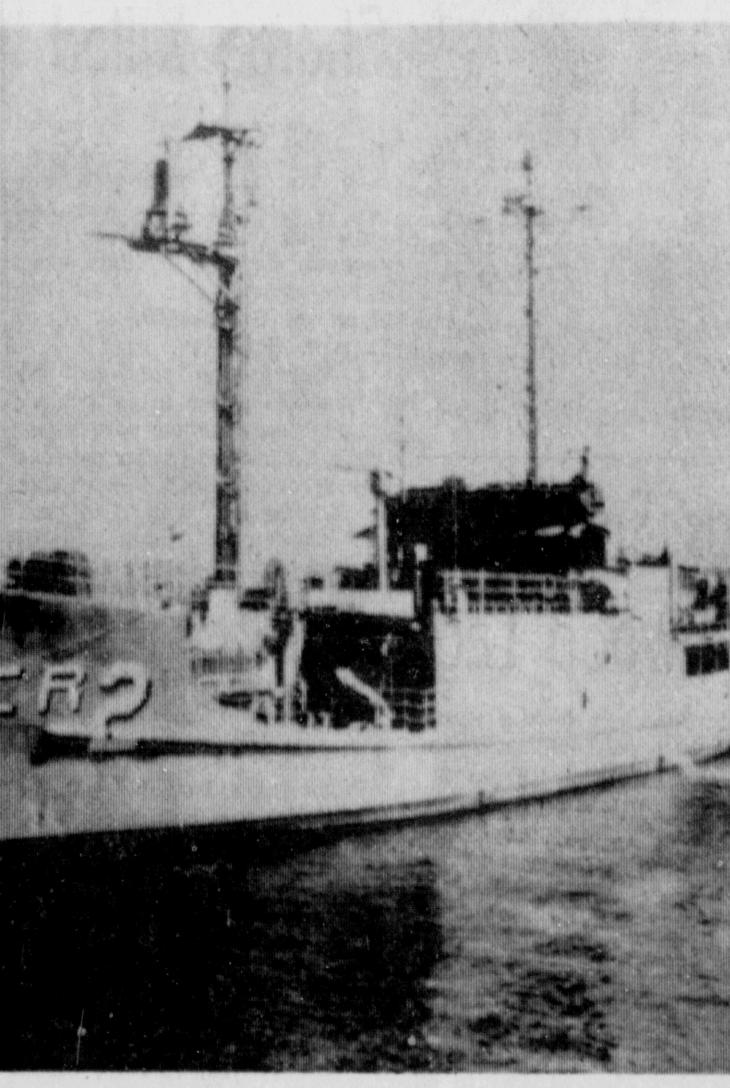
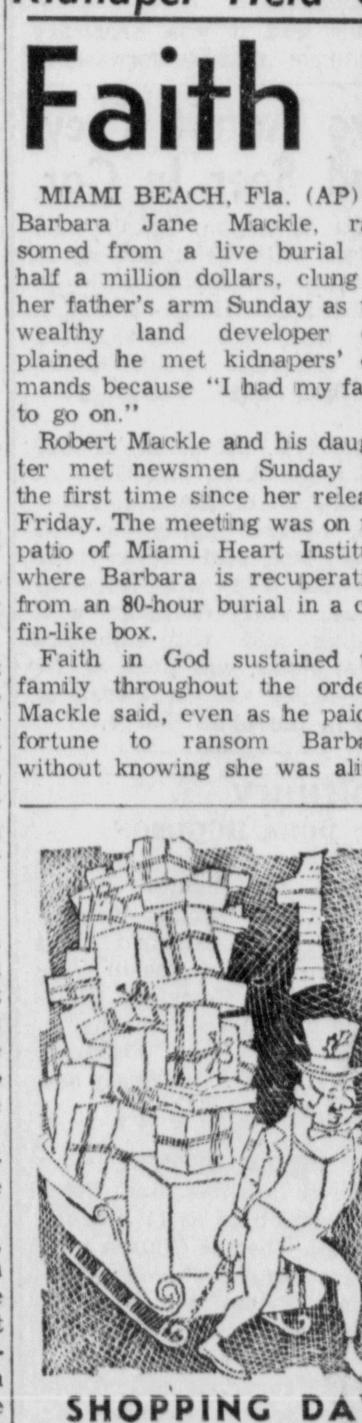
The North Vietnamese killed 12 government soldiers and wounded 36 out of the 150-man company before two U.S. Navy helicopter gunships helped break up the three-prong attack. A government spokesman said a sweep of the battlefield at daybreak turned up 64 enemy bodies and 22 abandoned weapons.

During the night Viet Cong and North Vietnamese gunners also fired 100 rounds of 100-pound rockets and mortars at three allied air bases and the headquarters of the U.S. 9th Infantry Division.

Four rockets fell short and crashed into a sleeping village on the outskirts of the Da Nang air base, killing 12 civilians and wounding 19. Several American troops also were reported wounded at Da Nang, but there were no reports of any U.S. planes hit.

Santa Stolen

SHEPHERD (AP) — A life-sized plastic Santa Claus was stolen this weekend from the lawn of Mrs. Walter Chaffin in Shepherd, State Police report.



THIS PHOTO OF the intelligence ship U.S.S. Pueblo was taken prior to its capture by the North Koreans 11 months ago. The 82 surviving crewmen of the vessel were released by 9 p.m. EST Sunday. The ship will presumably remain in Communist North Korean hands. The body of a wounded crewman who died in captivity will be returned home for burial. AP Wirephoto

Houghton Gets 21 Inches Of The Fluffy Stuff Today

By The Associated Press

A pre-Christmas blast of winter wind and snow howled out of the northwest early today, blocking Upper Peninsula roads and dumping 21 inches of snow on Houghton before daylight.

State police and the Automobile Club of Michigan reported U.S. 41 the only road open across the western portion of the Upper Peninsula, where winds reached 40 miles per hour and pushed deep drifts across most roads.

Elsewhere roads were reported in varying conditions. I-96 between Grand Rapids and Muskegon was snowcovered, reducing freeway speeds by some 20 m.p.h. Slippery spots were numerous.

Snowfall was most extensive in the north: 16 inches at Marquette; a foot at Sault Ste. Marie. Grayling and Roscommon had nine inches and eight inches each.

Further south, snow depths were considerably reduced, due to rain Sunday and relatively mild overnight temperatures. Alpena reported seven inches by early morning, West Branch had six and Mio five. Lansing showed one inch and Flint only a trace. Two inches were reported at Jackson.

Herman Over 100

The overnight snowfall added to season totals of 101.1 inches since November at Herman southeast of L'Anse Delaware in the Keweenaw Peninsula reported a season total of 75 inches, and 60 inches were recorded through the weekend at Memorial Airport between Hancock and Calumet.

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Or Carriers

Masters of ships still moving through the Great Lakes reported reduced visibility but only moderate winds. The Coast Guard said three large ore carriers were waiting out the storm at Portage Lake before proceeding to Two Harbors, Minn. The three, the A.H. Ferbert, the Philip Clarke and the Enders M. Voorhees, all over 580 feet in length, were participating in a test extension of the shipping season.

Further south, the Coast Guard cutter Bramble freed a 250-foot Canadian cargo ship, the Imperial Windsor which became stranded on ice for 2½ hours in Lake St. Clair off Grosse Pointe. The vessel was loaded with gasoline and turbine fuel.

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Both Romney, Milliken To Sign State Message

LANSING (AP)—Gov. George's state of the state message and presentation of the executive budget.

Agreement

Romney and Milliken said they had agreed on this formula:

Both men will sign the state of the state message, traditionally delivered at a joint legislative session in January, but Milliken will present it after Romney makes a few remarks.

Romney then will appear on a statewide radio-television program Jan. 6, giving his own views on problems which face the state: an unofficial address for which Milliken will not share responsibility.

Both officials also will sign

the budget message, thus taking joint responsibility for the spending proposals it will contain.

The state attorney general's office said Milliken could read the state of the state message as long as Romney signs it. The State Constitution requires the governor to submit such a message to the Legislature.

Responsible

"The problem is," Romney said, "that the lieutenant governor will be the one responsible for getting the programs outlined in the state of the state away, but no other suspects."

Work on the budget, meanwhile, is near completion and will bear the mark of the Romney administration.

But Milliken said he had been consulting on spending problems with Romney for several months. "I'm certainly satisfied with the budget which will be presented," Milliken said.

Both men appeared relaxed and laughed easily. Romney said he would spend Tuesday afternoon greeting shoppers at a major Detroit intersection as he traditionally does the day before Christmas.

Traverse City

"I don't plan to be greeting shoppers in Detroit," laughed Milliken. "I may well be encouraging shoppers in Traverse City." Milliken's family owns a department store there.

Milliken said he hadn't yet picked out a sweater to wear as governor—"and when I do I don't know if it will be blue or brown or what." A blue sweater is a long-time Romney trademark.

"I don't think the sweater goes with the office," Romney said. "and neither does this desk. I moved this desk in here myself."

"We'll have to move the old desk back," Milliken said.

Engineers Give Merger Approval

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has withdrawn its opposition to the application of the Chicago & North Western Railway to acquire control of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

The Union's action followed an agreement reached between the railroad and the BLE for the protection of employees represented by the BLE who may be affected by Interstate Commerce Commission approval of North Western's application to acquire control of the Rock Island Lines.

ICC hearings on the competing applications of North Western and Union Pacific Railroad to acquire control of Rock Island were closed earlier this year. Briefs are scheduled to be filed with the Commission in January following which the parties will await the recommendations of the hearing examiners. The full Commission isn't expected to consider the case until late next year or in 1970.

Iron River To Stage Snowdeo

IRON RIVER — At least \$1,000 in cash prizes will be awarded to the winning drivers in the third annual Iron County Snowmobile Derby to be held at the Iron County Fairgrounds here Jan. 25-26.

The derby, which is sponsored by the West Side Jaycees, will again begin with a 15-mile cross-country race at Hagerman Lake, located off M-73, 10 miles southwest of Iron River.

Main spectator action will be centered around the grandstand at the fairgrounds on Sunday, Jan. 26, for the traditional lap races. For the ladies, the popular "Powder Puff" derby will again conclude this year's event.

Entry blanks can be obtained from the Iron River Area Chamber of Commerce and entries may be mailed to Snowmobile Derby in care of the West Side Jaycees, Iron River, Mich. 49935. Entry fee is \$10 per machine and the deadline is Jan. 24. Drivers are asked to report at Hagerman Lake park at 8 a.m. on Jan. 25, for the cross-country competition and at the fairgrounds at 9 a.m. on Jan. 26, for the lap races.

Social Aide

Owen T. Jamison has been appointed assistant regional forester in charge of a newly created Division responsible for administering Forest Service social programs, in the 20-State Eastern Region headquartered at Milwaukee.

Primary responsibility will be the Civilian Conservation Centers, as well as the expanding role of the Forest Service in programs related to the war against poverty, especially as it affects rural America. There are 11 Civilian Conservation Centers on national forests in the 20-state Eastern Region.

Captured As He Worked At Vault

DETROIT (AP) — Police in the Detroit suburb of Redford today arrested an unidentified man who they said was in the process of robbing a branch of the Detroit Bank and Trust.

Police said the man was found inside the bank, working with an acetylene torch on the night depository. A two-way radio was also found with him. A search of the immediate area turned up the other radio, several blocks away, but no other suspects.

Police said the man, who refused to talk, entered the bank through an air vent on the roof. He later opened a side door, and police went through that door to arrest him.

They said he triggered a silent alarm while using the torch.

Cocoa is the principal agricultural product of Ghana.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time.

San Francisco Fire Destroys Four Stores

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Fire ripped through four plush stores in the city's shopping district

Sunday night causing what one fire official estimated at more than \$5 million in damage—the greatest loss here since the 1906 San Francisco earthquake.

Heavily damaged by the wind-whipped flames was Gump's, an internationally known fine arts emporium which listed more than \$1 million in Oriental art objects alone on the second of its three floors.

Also gutted was Schneider's—a fur establishment offering its wares for as much as \$40.00 apiece—Auger's Jewelers and Malm's Luggage.

Abercrombie & Fitch received extensive damage from torrents

Esky Amvets Gift Patients

Eskanava Amvets Post 123 have presented 50 stationery kits to Veterans Administration Hospital patients in Iron Mountain. The kits were made for the post by the Office Service Co. of Escanaba and include envelopes, stationery and ball-point pens for use by the hospitalized veterans.

RIGHTS TO BASE

By a treaty signed early in this century, the United States is entitled to stay in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, as long as it desires on payment of a yearly rental fee of \$2,000. The base has been operated by the U.S. Navy since it was captured during the Spanish-American War.

Gift subscriptions to the Escanaba Daily Press and the Delta Reporter was also authorized by the membership. Delivery of the Christmas gifts were made through the courtesy of Delta County Sheriff Harold Finman.

Santa's Deer Are Warned of Perils

Santa Claus and his reindeer are due tomorrow night, Tuesday, Christmas Eve but there will be three less Escanaba Area deer to greet them as they go overhead pulling Santa's sleigh.

The three were killed in weekend deer-car accidents, reported State Police of the Gladstone Post.

A car driven by William

T. Mannebach Dies Sunday

Thomas H. Mannebach, 64, of 1311 3rd Ave. S. was dead on arrival at St. Francis Hospital on Sunday evening following a short illness.

He was born April 30, 1904 in Escanaba and had resided here most of his life. He was a member of St. Joseph's Church, a former member of the Escanaba City Band and a member of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees. Mr. Mannebach was employed as a carpenter for the Bridge and Building department of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad.

He is survived by his widow, the former Ethel Kaufman; one son, Thomas of Escanaba; two daughters, Mrs. Anthony (Marylyn) Nardi of Ishpeming and Mrs. James (Judy) DeGrand of Escanaba; two sisters, Mrs. Donald (Madge) Mosseau and Mrs. Paul (Genevieve) Waehng of Escanaba; one brother, Ben of Escanaba and two grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Degnan-Crawford Funeral Home from 5 to 9:30 p.m. today and parish prayers will be recited at 6 p.m. today. Funeral services will be conducted at 9 a.m. Tuesday at St. Joseph Church with the Rev. Jordan Telles officiating. Burial will be in Gardens of Rest Cemetery.

STILL SHOPPING?

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War And Christmas

Christmas always brings a poignant reminder of our men at war.

Our men in Vietnam have had a specially difficult home front situation to understand and to their great credit they have either understood it and forgiven our shortcomings of support for them or they have exercised a great patriotic faith in America which has covered the situation.

This war is unlike any other in our national history.

The uncertainties that it creates can be seen in the faces of our brave young men who came back from the war and find on the home front no duplication of the solidarity with which our men in Asia face the conflict there.

It is very important that our men know that the nation accords them honor as high as any that it has given to its defenders. This, as has been said by so many military observers, is the best military force which America even has fielded—and this nation has never lost a war.

It seems now in the process of losing one—or at least of seeking withdrawal from a stalemate. This creates the unhappiness in our troops, many of whom must wonder why we don't use the force necessary to win. And it creates difficulty of understanding with the home front.

Our forces have fought bravely and effectively. In our longest war they have suffered more than 30,000 killed and hundreds of thousands wounded. Thirty-two years from now when New Years 2000 is celebrated there will be many men from the Vietnam war in our veterans hospitals. We have won the war in the conventional sense that we have defeated the aggressor, North Vietnam.

But the aggression in South Vietnam is only a symbol of the forces which we oppose there. Russia and Red China are not going to let North Vietnam collapse under American pressure. An American beachhead in Asia is intolerable to them and they have been able at costs tolerable to them to keep us from establishing a satisfactory one.

We face interminable struggle there for an ideal which does not impress the rest of the world, or even our allies. So we have reconsidered and are seeking a political, not a military peace, in talks at Paris.

All things end and this war will end, but our national devotion to the brave men and women who defend our national integrity and security in our wars does not end. Christmas, when the home and the family circle are in such sharp, affectionate focus, is occasion to wish our fighting men well and to thank them for the sacrifices which have made it possible to slow communism in Asia and to bring the immediate foe to the conference table because we have made his outlook there bleak, too as long as our forces remain.

Our Christmas is greatly troubled by this war which has caused so much dissent and division in the nation. Hopefully the New Year will resolve the issue honorably and end hostilities.

The war has humbled America and bled her and there is a temptation to regard it as a national waste and blunder, but it has been a great lesson, too, that is still being learned. It will be harder to take America into such foreign adventures in the future without due process and this is a gain for the people and democracy. The thought that "There must be a better way" is getting more emphasis and hopefully there will be less influence from the military-industrial complex to solve international disputes with arms.

BARBS By PHIL PASTORET

The illegibility of the signature increases in proportion to the size of the name printed on the stationery.

Bachelors are so busy running "from" instead of "for" that only two of 'em have ever been elected to the presidency.

If you haven't time to do something, ask for help from the busy man and bypass the loafer.

People who never save for a rainy day always want to shelter under someone else's umbrella.

BERRY'S WORLD

Questions And Answers

Q—When was the first continuous regular airmail service in the world started?

A—On May 15, 1918, with U. S. Army pilots flying between New York City, Philadelphia and Washington, D. C.

Q—Where did the northernmost action of the Civil War take place?

A—In 1864, Confederate soldiers robbed banks in St. Albans, Vt., and fled into Canada.

Q—When did the submarine become a part of the U. S. Navy?

A—The U. S. Navy's first submarine, the Holland, was launched in 1898 and accepted in 1900.

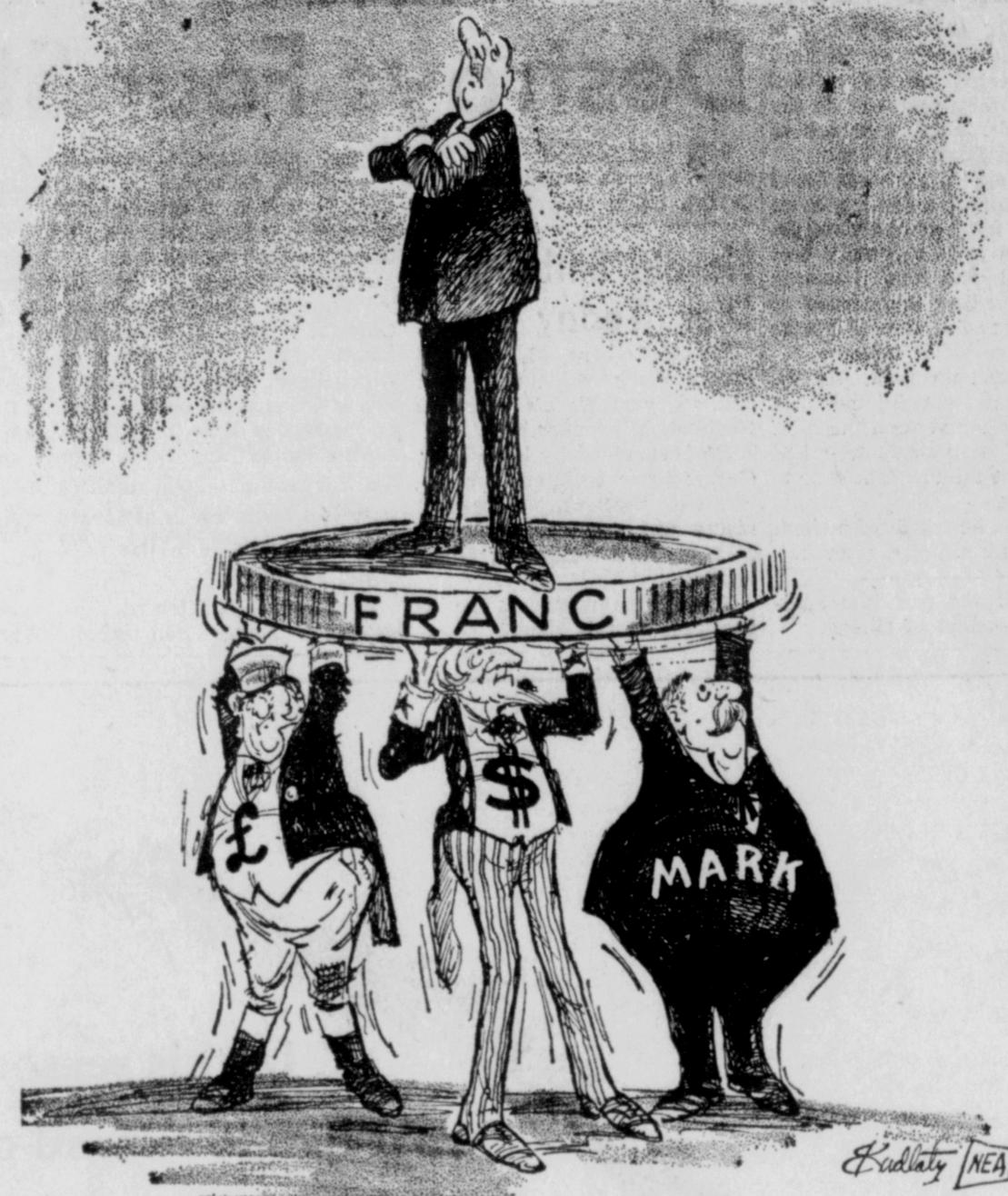
Q—Who was the first Negro to serve in the U. S. Cabinet?

A—Robert C. Weaver, appointed Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development by President L. B. Johnson in 1966.

Q—How many working days are lost each winter in the United States because of the common cold?

A—About 120 million days of work each year.

"Le franc, c'est moi!"



Lawmakers Urged To Reside In D.C.

By NOEL GROVE

WASHINGTON — (NEA) —

One Washington wag calls them the Viet Congress.

They are, he says, the nation's lawmakers who lie back in the safety of the suburbs by night and infiltrate the District of Columbia by day to strike at the city. Damages include the crippling of capital subway construction plans, denying new formulas for general municipal operating funds and refusal to negotiate home rule.

Congress keeps its hand firmly on the purse strings of this city of 800,000. As house-hunting runs rampant in the influx of new governmental personnel, a move is under way

urging them to live in Washington so they can experience and understand its problems.

Its problems are exactly the reasons most of the 1,000 congressmen and staff members moving here will likely take up residence in nearby Maryland or Virginia. Most newcomers would rather fight commuting traffic than risk the urban front lines, with its law and order issue.

It's bad enough to be under fire in the Hill every day, they say, without being denied R and R in the suburbs by night.

A minor war of words has erupted. Three House members wrote letters urging new members to settle in Washington. Rep. Joel T. Broyhill (R-Va.), who lives in the suburbs, retaliated by assuring new colleagues that "you need not live in the District of Columbia in order to perform your constitutional obligations to it."

Last week President-elect Richard Nixon got into the act by indicating support of settling in the District. After all, he will, albeit with iron fence and the Secret Service.

But nobody will be surprised if the big move to the suburbs, giving Washington residents fuel for more complaints about their absentee controllers and sarcastic lines about the "Viet Congress."

Negotiating for a home in suburban safety may assure new lawmakers a niche of graceful domesticity, but capital residents question whether it's a just and honorable peace.

The woman changed her mind about Snoopy after she learned the dog was not house trained exactly to her liking. Snoopy hit the road.

Then the local newspaper, the Kalamazoo Gazette, published a picture of the distraught Beth Herbert Mearing of nearby Portage saw the picture and informed the Wilders that the dog had been living at his home since Wednesday when it followed his 11-year-old daughter home from school.

Beth was happy again Saturday. Snoopy had returned.

No, Gwendolyn, they don't hold stag parties at the zoo for deer friends.

If you haven't time to do something, ask for help from the busy man and bypass the loafer.

People who never save for a rainy day always want to shelter under someone else's umbrella.

Venus Mistaken For Apollo 8

KALAMAZOO (AP)—A puppy

named for a famous comic strip character—Snoopy—is safe and sound in the arms of 17-month-old Beth Wilder of Kalamazoo after an absence of less than a week. Snoopy wandered from the Wilder home Monday leaving the little girl in tears. The dog was seen at Kalamazoo airport, but was adopted by an employee of a car rental agency before the dog catcher arrived.

The woman changed her mind about Snoopy after she learned the dog was not house trained exactly to her liking. Snoopy hit the road.

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Questions And Answers

Q—When was the first continuous regular airmail service in the world started?

A—On May 15, 1918, with U. S. Army pilots flying between New York City, Philadelphia and Washington, D. C.

Q—Where did the northernmost action of the Civil War take place?

A—In 1864, Confederate soldiers robbed banks in St. Albans, Vt., and fled into Canada.

Q—When did the submarine become a part of the U. S. Navy?

A—The U. S. Navy's first submarine, the Holland, was launched in 1898 and accepted in 1900.

Q—Who was the first Negro to serve in the U. S. Cabinet?

A—Robert C. Weaver, appointed Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development by President L. B. Johnson in 1966.

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GLADSTONE

Candle-Light Service Dec. 23

A candle-light service will be held at the Evangelical Covenant Church of Gladstone on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24th at 11 a.m. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Clifford Goodman will sing: "Lysnna" a traditional Swedish Christmas anthem, and "Thy Light is Come" by Adams. Mrs. Jerrold Bevra will sing: "No Candle Was There." A vocal ensemble will sing the lovely Christmas arrangement "The Christmas Crib" popularized by Fred Waring and written by Ray Ringwald. The pastor will also give a short meditation. The public is cordially invited to attend the festive service commemorating the birth of the Savior.

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Usher At Wedding Is Michigan Man

NEW YORK (AP) — Philip Ordway of Hickory Corners, Mich., one of the eight ushers at the wedding of David Eisenhower and Julie Nixon, says he "sensed a long time ago that they might get married some day."

Ordway, 20, who attended high school with the former President's grandson at Exeter Academy in Exeter, N.H., was interviewed Sunday morning in his room at the Waldorf-Astoria.

He said that he and David had kept in touch since their graduation from Exeter, and that David had often mentioned Julie in his letters. "But of course I didn't know what their specific plans were," Ordway said. "He never discussed those."

Michigan Man Is Rhodes Scholar

SWARTHMORE, Pa. (AP) — Mark W. Janis, a Williamsburg, Mich., student attending Princeton University, was one of 32 Rhodes Scholars-elect announced Sunday.

The 32 were chosen from across the nation for two and three years of study at Oxford University, England. The names were revealed by Dr. Courtney Smith, administrative head of Rhodes Scholarships in the United States and president of Swarthmore.

Survey Shows That Employes Get Break

NEW YORK (AP) — In the spirit of Christmas, a research firm has just delivered a gift to all working men in the form of a survey which might casually be dropped on the boss' desk this evening or early Tuesday.

Most companies, the survey indicates, will give time off or close early Tuesday in order to permit employees to catch up on shopping or get a head start on the Christmas holiday.

Many firms in fact plan to remain closed for the entire day before Christmas and others will work no more than a half day, according to the Bureau of National Affairs.

The early closings are intended to compensate in part for the absence of a long weekend this year. Last year Christmas fell on a Monday, automatically resulting in three work-free days. Next year it comes on a Thursday, meaning a four-day weekend for many workers.

Close Early
The bureau, a private organization that sells its research to business, said that nearly 40 percent of 180 companies throughout the nation will close for the holiday this evening.

The survey found that about one-fourth of the companies will give workers bonuses, often of one or two weeks pay, and that in two-fifths of the companies the boss will toss a party as well. One in five companies will present gifts.

The future of parties, however, doesn't seem to be bright. The study shows that represent-

Adds To Pleasure

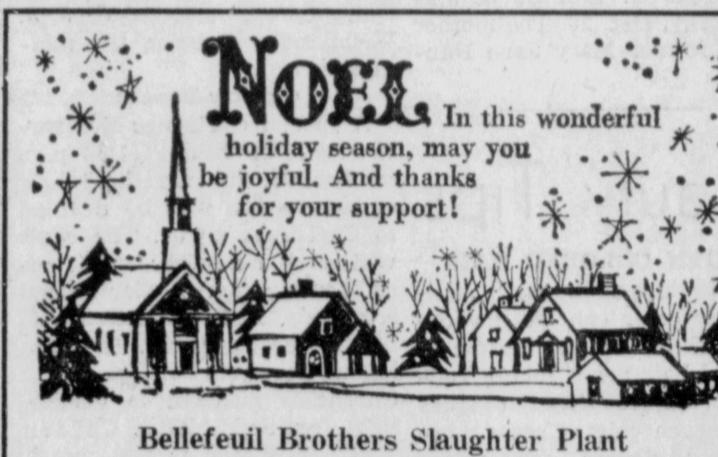
"Alcohol and business don't seem to mix well when a total company group is present. It seems to serve as an excuse for everything except mutual respect shown to one another in business."

Not everyone registered disapproval of liquor. What was described as a sizeable group said liquor added to festivities if the privilege was not abused.

Typifying the attitude of this group, P.B. Musgrave, an industrial relations counsel in Peoria, Ill., stated: "If used with moderation, nothing wrong." He works for Hiram Walker & Sons, Inc.

And regardless of the on-site regulations against liquor, a bottle of Scotch or bourbon will perhaps vie this year with candelabras as the most popular business gift.

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Santa and the Hippies

By LUCRECE BEALE

CHAPTER 17

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL

IT was Christmas Eve. Only an hour remained to break the spell on Santa Land.

Ding Dong stood on the roof of Santa's workshop and carefully dropped the hippies' popcorn popper down the smoking chimney. When it was in place on the burning coals Ding Dong began to drop kernels of corn, one by one, down the chimney into the popper.

For a moment there was no sound except Hesekiah chopping and swatting on his machine. Then, between the whacks of the hammer, Ding Dong heard the soft pop-popping of the corn in the fireplace below.

He dropped the corn faster and faster until it was pouring down the chimney in a river. Now, the hammer blows were silent. There was only the gentle popping of corn.

Edgar the elk scurried to the front of the shop and peeped through the keyhole.

"He's stopped working!" he cried. "The whole shop is filling with popcorn! It's covered his feet! Now his knees! His middle! His neck! He's drowning in popcorn!"

Ding Dong dumped the last of the corn down the chimney. He yelled, "Watch out! He'll be out in a minute!" And he slid to the ground to see the fun.

A moment later the dwarf flung open the door and burst out in a cloud of popcorn. His stumbling feet snapped the three-colored string stretched across the door frame.

The spell on Santa Land was broken. The spinning tops stopped spinning. Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus and all the elves and reindeer were themselves again.

There was such rejoicing! Edgar told Santa all that Ding



"Merry Christmas to All!"

Dong had done and Santa asked what he could do for Ding Dong in return.

Ding Dong said he would like to go home again. "If only I didn't have to be good all the time!" he added with a sigh.

"Being good is just thinking of others," said Santa. "That is something you certainly have done."

"What about taking baths and being polite and picking up toys and all like that?"

"It isn't necessary," said Santa thoughtfully. "But you might say it is a way of thinking of other people."

"I suppose I could give it a try," said Ding Dong reluctantly.

"I don't think it would hurt much," said Santa with a smile. "It probably wouldn't hurt at all."

The elves loaded Santa's sleigh with toys and Mrs. Claus tucked in sacks of cookies.

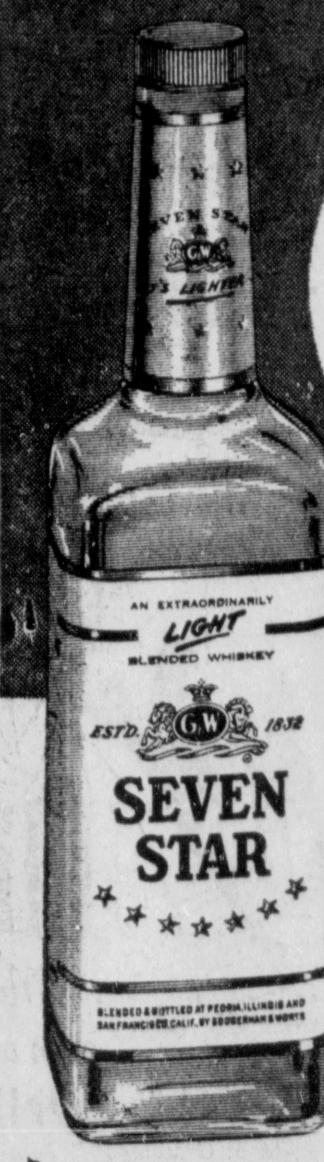


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Women's Activities



SUNDAY, DEC. 22 marked the wedding of Julie Nixon, youngest daughter of President-elect Nixon and Dwight David Eisenhower II, only grandson of the former president. They were married during a brief Protestant ceremony in the historic old Marble Collegiate Church in New York.

Julie Nixon, Dwight David Eisenhower II Exchange Vows

NEW YORK (AP) — Julie Nixon, younger daughter of President-elect Nixon, and Dwight David Eisenhower II, only grandson of the former president, were married Sunday in a brief Protestant ceremony that from beginning to end carried out the bride's wish for a private and personal wedding.

Before a small, white, silk-covered altar banked by rows of red and white poinsettias in the historic old Marble Collegiate Church, Julie surprised her father when she turned and kissed him after he gave her hand to the groom. At the end of the ceremony, she again broke tradition and did not kiss the grooms.

Old Fashioned Gown
Julie, 20, radiated in a Victorian, full-skirted, ivory peau d'ange dress with puffed sleeves and a high neck, stood beside the groom, who wore a cutaway. She clutched a modest white bouquet of lily of the valley, narcissus, sweethearts roses and bouvardia. Her illusion veil was held with a crown of seed pearls.

David, also 20, held her hand in both of his, letting go only when she removed her short white gloves to show reporters the diamond circlet wedding ring she received in the single-ring ceremony.

At first somewhat startled when she was addressed as Mrs. Eisenhower, the dark-haired bride fielded questions with composure, refusing only to reveal their wedding trip destination.

Short Trip

"It's a secret," Julie said. The couple was expected to take a short trip before returning to classes on Jan. 2. David

Her Idea
"That was her idea," Nixon told reporters after the 12-minute ceremony, "If she handles all of the great events of her life as well as this marriage, she will be all right."

It was also Julie's idea to substitute the words thee and thou in the Reformed Church of America service. The Nixons are Quakers. David, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Eisenhower, is an Episcopalian.

The bride also requested Dr. Norman Vincent Peale, who performed the ceremony, to read Psalm 100, which begins,

"Make a joyful noise unto the Lord," and Psalm 121: "I will lift up mine eyes . . ."

"I rather thought this was a



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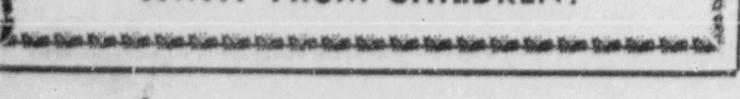
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Holiday Services Tuesday At New Christ The King

Christmas Eve services will mark the first use of the new sanctuary at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 1230 N. 18th St. Construction of the building was begun last April and is now nearing completion. Classrooms, offices and fellowship areas will be ready for use in two to three weeks.

The early Christmas Eve service will begin at 7:30 p.m. The Children's Choir will sing, "The Drummer Boy," and the Junior Choir, "While By My Sheep I Watched At Night."

The late Christmas Eve service will begin at 10 p.m. Senior Choir anthems are "Hasten Swiftly, Hasten Softly," and, "The Magnificat."

At both services a "Medley of Christmas Carols" will be played as a violin duet by the Misses Christine and Julie Fletcher accompanied by Susan Fletcher at the piano. Vocal soloist at both services will be Miss Susan Fletcher, singing, "Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming." Organist is Mrs. Carl Wedell.

Pastor Erland Carlson will mark his 11th Christmas at Christ the King and will bring the message, "Christmas Joy," at both services. The public is invited to attend these Christmas Eve services.

Births

HARDWICK — Mr. and Mrs. William Hardwick of Rte. 3 Rapid River, are the parents of a daughter, born at 1:38 p.m. on Dec. 20. The infant weighed 9 pounds and 2 ounces at birth and has been named Jackie Lynn. The mother is the former Connie Groleau.

KOSKI — At 4:15 p.m. on Dec. 20, a son, Dean Steven, weighing 8 pounds and 1 ounce was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Koski of Rock. Mrs. Koski was Elizabeth Sayen.

ROOT — The Rev. and Mrs. Rex Root of 1322 Dakota Ave., Gladstone, are the parents of a daughter, Doris Rae, born at 8:27 p.m. on Dec. 21. The infant weighed 5 pounds and 14 ounces at birth. The mother is the former Bethel Luce.

ANDERSON — A son, as yet unnamed, weighing 9 pounds and 8 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson of Rte. 1 Gladstone at 8:18 p.m. on Dec. 22. Mrs. Anderson was Rose LaChance.

MERRILL — A daughter, Melissa Lynn, weighing 8 pounds and 13 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Merrill of 226 N. 11th St. at 5:25 a.m. today, Dec. 23. The mother is the former Mary Jane Hansen.

Six Tier Cake
A six-tier wedding cake, topped with a tiny bouquet of bouvardia, was wheeled to the center of the ballroom. The couple cut the first pieces together —David's hand over Julie's.

The bride fed David the first piece, then offered her father a slice. Mrs. Nixon was next, and then Sgt. and Mrs. John Moaney of Washington, D.C., who were asked to take some cake to former President and Mrs. Eisenhower, who watched the wedding ceremony on a special television circuit in separate rooms at Walter Reed Army Hospital in Washington.

Events

TOPS Club

Silhouettes TOPS Club will hold a weigh-in tonight at the home of Karen Milhalic, 308 N. 20th St.

Church Events

St. Patrick's

Tuesday Novena Services in honor of Our Mother of Perpetual Help will be made in private on Tuesday, Dec. 24 and Tuesday, Dec. 31.

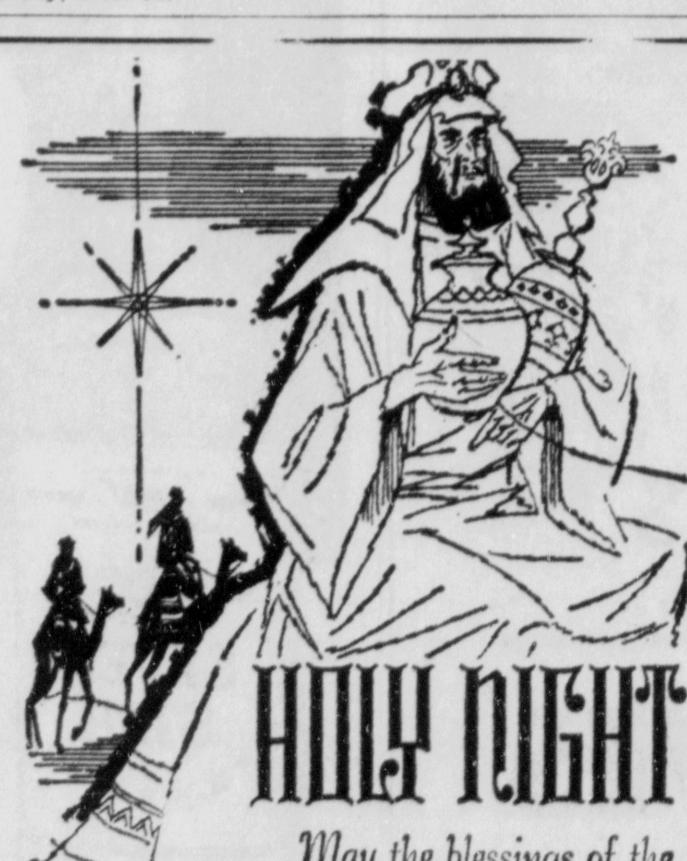
Beauty Tips

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Improving upon your natural hair color can be rewarding, if it's done properly. Colored hair needs lots of constant care to avoid dryness and uneven color. Cream rinse and conditioners can soften the brittle dry hair which often results from bleaching.

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PHYLLIS YABUI doesn't have to look far to find the Christmas spirit. Her friends in Goddard Hall at Eastern Michigan University, Ann Arbor, put their thinking caps on in the fall and decided to surprise Phyllis with a trip home to Hawaii for the holidays. And her surprise was genuine, Phyllis, a 20 year old junior education major, thought all along that the money the girls were raising was to be used for a night on the town in Detroit. (AP Wirephoto)

Area Churches Plan Festive Christmas Eve, Day Services

Area churches have planned seven familiar Christmas Carols as part of the Christmas Eve Worship. The Chorus Choir anthem is entitled, "Glory To God."

Central United Methodist

A Christmas Eve service of candlelight and music will be presented at the 8 p.m. service Dec. 24. Youth of the church will be active participants. A Christmas Eve Candlelight Service will be observed at 11 p.m. on Dec. 24. Rev. Robert Selberg is pastor of the church.

First United Methodist

A Christmas Eve Candlelight service will be held at 10 p.m. on Dec. 24. The Senior High Methodist Youth Fellowship is in charge of the service. Curtis (Ricky) Dewar will be the speaker. A candlelighting ceremony will be held at the conclusion of the service. The public is invited to attend. Rev. Konstantin Wipp, pastor.

Salem Ev. Lutheran

Children's Christmas Service will be held on Christmas Eve beginning at 7:30 p.m. All children of the Sunday School will participate. The Ladies Choir will sing, "Lord, God of Hosts."

Distribution of gifts will be held at the conclusion of the service. Festive Christmas Day service at 10 a.m. Dec. 25. The Ladies Choir will sing, "Glory Glory Glory," and Pastor J. J. Wendland will bring the message.

Calvary Baptist

A special Christmas Eve service will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Dec. 24. The first half hour of the service will be devoted to Christmas music. The choir will sing and other musicians of the church will offer special selections. Bill Van Effen will be the guest organist. The Rev. David Brostrom will preach a Christmas message in candlelight, entitled, "What Child Is This?" Everyone is welcome.

St. Patrick's

A Christmas Chorale by the St. Patrick's Choir will be presented at 11:15 p.m. on Christmas Eve. The Proclamation of the Nativity according to the Roman Martyrology will be held at 11:45 p.m. and the Solemn First Mass of Christmas at 12 midnight will be concelebrated by the Rev. Charles J. Carmody, principal celebrant, assisted by Msgr. Martin B. Melican, pastor emeritus of St. Patrick's. The Second Mass of Christmas will be celebrated at 6 a.m. on Christmas Day followed by Mass at 8 and 9:30 a.m. with the St. Patrick School Choir. The Third Solemn Concelebrated Mass of Christmas will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Christmas Day.

Bethany Lutheran

The Christmas Eve service will begin at 9:15 p.m. with a 20 minute musical. During this time Mrs. C. E. Hendrickson will sing, "The Birthday of A King," and Mrs. David Dahlquist will sing, "Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne." The Children's Choir will also sing two carols following the organ-piano prelude played by Don Aronson, organist and Bill Van Effen, pianist. The church orchestra will play five familiar carols.

During the prelude the church will be darkened except for the 220 white lights on the 26 foot Christmas Tree and the 60 colored lights on the two 12 foot trees. A large number of candles will be placed on the altar. Roses and mums plus a forest of trees will complete the holiday decorations.

Sermon topic for Christmas Eve is, "The Sense of Awe and Wonder." The congregation will

Festive Holiday Services Planned At St. Joseph's

PERKINS — St. Joseph's parish is making preparation for its Christmas services this year. The Senior Choir, under the direction of Miss Eunice Peterson will render the traditional carols, beginning at 11:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve.

At the ringing of the Midnight bell, the congregation, Altar Boys and Choir will sing, "Silent Night," as a signal for the beginning of the Mass of the Christ Child. The Procession will start from the undercroft and proceed to the Crib, where Aaron Depuyt the youngest of the Altar Boys will place the statue of the Infant in the Crib and the Choir will begin the Mass of Glory to God in High Mass as composed by the Rev. Ignatius Wilkins, OFM.

The Rev. Conrad Suda will be assisted by the Rev. Gilbert Neurohr and the Altar Boys. Lay reader will be Donald Lauscher.

Christmas Day Masses will be at 8 and 10:30 a.m.

Women of the Parish have cleaned and readied the Church and Santry for the holidays and the Cassocks and New Surplices done by Mrs. Ralph Eagle, will be used. The men of the parish have set up the Crib and trees. All floral decorations are Christmas remembrances of loved ones.



MR. AND MRS. Robert Ritter of Nahma announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Jean, to Pfc. Marshall A. Groleau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Groleau of St. Jacques. Miss Ritter is a senior at Big Bay de Noc High School. Her fiance is a 1966 graduate of Nahma High School and is presently serving with the U.S. Army at Fort Campbell, Ky. No date has been set for the wedding.

People

Mr. and Mrs. Al Brown of Upper Darby, Pa., Marilyn Christensen of Milwaukee and Sandy Zancanaro of Sacramento, Calif., are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Munson of 330 N. 14th St.

Pam Malinowski, a junior at Western Michigan University, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Way of 200 3rd Ave. N., Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Martin and family of Glenview, Ill., are spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin, 1616 8th Ave. S. and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin, 1030 S. 16th St.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Manske and son of Grand Rapids will be arriving Tuesday to spend Christmas with their parent, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Manske, 1612 16th Ave. S. and Mr. and Mrs. William Schultz of Groos.

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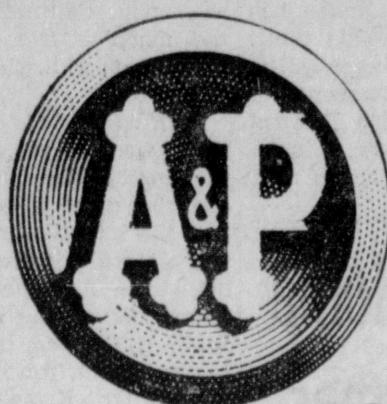
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Wayne Proposes Black College

DETROIT (AP)—Wayne State University, which has some 43 per cent of all Negro students enrolled in Michigan's 12 state-supported colleges, is considering the creation of a separate black college on its campus.

Such a move has been urged by the university's Association of Black Students, and reportedly has backing within and without the university.

The Detroit Catholic Archdiocese donated \$37,000 toward the project. An archdiocesan spokesman today said the money was for planning of the project. New Detroit Inc., also

would be solicited for development of funds.

The student association received funds last summer from the university itself to investigate the proposal.

Black students at Wayne hope to develop a program offering a bachelor's degree in black studies. Teachers in the college would include both academicians and persons without formal education.

Dr. William R. Keast, Wayne State president, said it was hoped the proposal could be put in operation in some form in the coming year.

"Whether we're talking about a program of studies, or a department or a college, or whatever if something can be done, we ought to be able to do it by 1969," Keast said.

A recent study showed only Wayne State and eight others, among schools with more than 15,000 undergraduates, had as many as four per cent Negroes. Wayne State was highest with 8.6 per cent, a figure which increased to 10.3 per cent in the current academic year.

Convicts Kicked Their Way Out

NEW ORLEANS (AP)—Twenty-one convicts, three of them sentenced to death, were at large today after kicking their way out of New Orleans' prison.

Louis Heyd, Orleans Parish (county) criminal sheriff, termed the men extremely dangerous. Four were convicted of murder, 12 of armed robbery. All were awaiting the outcome of legal appeals.

The prisoners were missed at a head count at 5:30 a.m. Sunday. But officers figured they broke out about five hours earlier.

"I'm not surprised," said Heyd, who has long complained about prison facilities and conditions. "It was just a matter of kicking through the roof. This damn place is a crackerbox."

Warden A. J. Falkenstein said the men broke into a fourth floor utilities locker room, then into the attic.

From there, they crawled through an air vent to the roof, and moved to the roof of the adjoining Criminal Courts building. They shattered a skylight over a judge's chamber, lowered themselves down on a rope of knotted prison uniforms, broke down a locked door to the second floor corridor and walked out of the unlocked building.

Obituary

SAIMI NYNAS

Funeral services for Saimi Nydas were held at 11 a.m. today at the Faith Lutheran Church with the Rev. Peter Laaninen officiating and burial was in the Rock Cemetery. Pallbearers were Hugo and Marvin Rikkila, Waine Wilton, Talbert Bezzote, Vern Halinen and John Quava.

CARL R. CARLSON

Funeral services for Carl R. Carlson were held at 11 a.m. today at the Calvary Lutheran Church, Rapid River with the Rev. George Olson officiating. Burial was in the Rapid River Cemetery. Pallbearers were Gustaf Mertens, Ray Morin, Curtis Christiansen, Andrew Erickson, Hugo Schoenberg and Carl Anderson.

New York's financial panic known as Black Friday occurred Sept. 23, 1869.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—Following is a sectioned list of stock transactions of the New York Stock Exchange at midday with net change from previous close.

Allied Ch	347% D	1/2
Am Can	57% D	1/4
Am Mot	131% D	1/2
Am Tel & Tel	53% D	1/2
Armour	63	D
Beth Steel	311% D	3/8
Ches & Ohio	72% D	5/8
Chrysler	58	D
Cities Sv	77	D
Consumer Pw	45%	
Con Can	70% D	1/2
Det Edis	28% D	1/2
Dow Chem	80% D	3/4
du Pont	165% D	1/2
East Kod	76% D	5/8
Ford Mot	53% D	2/8
Gen Fds	84%	
Gen Motors	80	D
Gen Tel	40% U	1/2
Gerber Prod	35% D	1
Gillette	52% D	1/2
Goodrich	46% D	1
Goodyear	57% D	1/2
Inland Stl	38% U	1/2
Interlak Stl	36%	
Int Bus Mach	321	D
Int Nick	37% D	1/2
Int Tel & Tel	59%	D
John Man	83% D	1/2
Kimb Clk	76% D	3/4
Ligg & My	47% U	3/4
Mead Cp	48%	
Nat Gypsum	62% D	1 1/2
Fenney, JC	45%	
Pfizer	75% D	3/4
RCA	46% D	1/2
Repub Stl	50% D	1/2
Sears Roeb	64% D	5/8
Std Brand	46	D
Std Oil NJ	81% D	3/8
Std Oil Ind	62% D	1/2
Stauff Ch	48% U	1/2
Un Carbine	46% D	1/2
Un Oil	63% D	1/2
US Steel	44% D	1/2
Wn Un Tel	44% D	1/2
Westg El	68% D	1/2
U-Up. D-Down.		

Rock

Pfc. Stanley Englund was taken from Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D.C. by plane to the Veterans Hospital at Wood, Wis., for additional surgery and hospitalization.

Paul Ramseth has been discharged from St. Francis Hospital where he was a patient for nine weeks. He is recuperating at home.

Funeral Services

Funeral services for William Englund were held at the Swanson Funeral Home in Marquette Dec. 14 with the Rev. Thomas Linblad of Gwin officiating. Burial was in the Northwood Chapel Gardens, Marquette. Attending from Rock were Herb Westlund, George Kaukola, Albert Nelson, Mrs. Ernie Vallier; Mrs. Celia Englund, McFarland; Mrs. Toivo Rajala, Saline; Mrs. Mae Sanders of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Englund and Mr. and Mrs. Ed England of Gladstone.

North of Da Nang in an amphitheater at Phu Bai, some

Three youngsters died Friday night in an Atlanta, Ga. fire as their parents were hiding Christmas presents in another part of the building. Intense heat blocked firemen as Nathan James, 6, Martha Ann Whatley, 4, and Bethashang Whatley, 2, died from asphyxiation.

The Rock School closed Friday for the holidays. Classes will resume Thursday, Jan. 2. Due to the storm, the Christmas program was held Thursday afternoon instead of Thursday evening.

Home For Holidays

Students spending the holidays at home from various colleges are: Sally Waak, Central Michigan University, Mount Pleasant; Edward Linjala, Michigan Technological University, Houghton; Ellen Bakka, Larry Lippens and Art Vandamme, Suomi College, Hancock; John Waisanen, Bill Bakka, Mary Kay and Rita Kaukola and Nancy Weldum, Michigan State University, East Lansing; Carol Lippens, Vicki Carlson and Jeanne Rajala, McConnell Airline School, Minneapolis; Jean Kivelala, Carol Niemela and Nancy Linjala, Northern Michigan University, Marquette; Matt Ruotsala, Wisconsin State University, Oshkosh, Wis.

Marike Waisanen and Bethyl Mankiewicz, who are teaching in Bay City, are home for the holidays.

Michigan Fires Claim 8 Lives

By The Associated Press

Pueblo Crew Beaten Week Before Release

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Two young brothers, Douglas Hull Jr., 6, and Timothy Hull, 4, lost their lives in a fire which destroyed their family's frame house at Boyne City Friday night. Cause of the blaze was under investigation.

Floyd White, 56, was killed Saturday when fire destroyed the one-room shack in which he lived alone about two miles west of Mecosta. Cause of the blaze was unknown.

The government was flying the families of many of the men to San Diego for a Christmas reunion, but questioning of the crewmen may continue for weeks after that.

A light snow was falling as Bucher and his men walked across a concrete bridge into the southern half of the demilitarized zone at 11:30 a.m. Korean time.

They carried with them a coffin containing the remains of Fireman Duane H. Hodges, 22, of Creswell, Ore., the crew member who died in North Korea after being wounded during the ship's capture off Wonsan by four Communist gunboats on Jan. 23.

Bucher came first over the bridge, accompanied as far as the boundary line at the U.N. Command side by about eight North Korean observers.

The slow procession of men over the bridge took slightly more than a half hour and was accompanied by propaganda broadcasts over North Korean loudspeakers. Two tape recordings, which sounded like Bucher's voice, were replayed continuously confessing "crimes" against North Korea, apologizing for them and telling the North Korean "thank you very much from the bottom of our hearts" for lenient treatment.

Ran To Copters

From the distance at which newsmen were kept, none of the men appeared seriously hurt. They strode over the bridge deliberately. Some ran to the helicopters from the buses that took them to the landing pad.

They wore gray shirts and trousers with dark blue overcoats and blue-top tennis shoes. After they crossed the bridge, many donned heavy U.S. Navy parkas provided in the freezing temperature.

The men waved and smiled to newsmen and gave a thumbs-up signal.

"I can't begin to tell you how happy my crew is to see this side of the line that divides this country in two," said Bucher, who also smiled and waved as he entered his news conference.

After the service, Graham spent 20 minutes shaking hands and signing autographs before boarding a helicopter for a tour of U.S. 7th Fleet vessels off the coast. He arrived Saturday for a five-day visit.

Archbishop Cooke of New York, who is Roman Catholic vicar of the U.S. armed forces, said on his arrival from visits with U.S. troops in Thailand that he brought "a message of hope and a special prayer for peace."

"Christmas is a family celebration and so these people are making an added sacrifice," the archbishop told an airport news conference.

Copter Crash Kills Vet, Son

By The Associated Press

Three fires claimed the lives of 13 children and 12 young people died in two auto accidents over the weekend as the Christmas holiday season neared its peak.

Three Navy crewmen were killed in a helicopter crash and a disabled veteran and his son, a Marine home on Christmas leave from Vietnam, died in their auto.

The largest toll was taken Saturday night near Hartsville, S.C., when two autos collided and left seven dead.

"The entire community is in a state of shock and disbelief," Mayor Bob Bass said at church services Sunday. "Our deepest sympathies go out to the hundreds of relatives."

A few hours later, five youngsters of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick McLaughlin of Portsmouth, N.H. died in a blaze as their parents visited next door. A sixth child escaped.

Last Sunday, five teen-agers were killed when their car hit a tree south of Allentown, Pa. Police said the car went out of control on the road between Lanark and Lehighport in Lehigh County.

And in Coatesville, Pa., five children died as their home was swept by fire. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd L. Green, Jr., a sixth child and a grandfather, were hurt.

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"We were attacked on the open seas and captured on the open seas," Bucher told the newsmen. "All records we had on the ship proved that." But he added that the records were "conveniently either destroyed by them (the North Koreans) or at least never produced."

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He said the crewmen were subjected to beatings and terror in captivity, and many still had black eyes and bruised ribs from beatings as recent as last week. Bucher himself walked with a slight limp. He said he had been kicked occasionally and the Koreans are "quite good at soccer."

Bucher said he was kept in solitary confinement "the entire 11 months" but he was not beaten as much as the other crewmen.

"I was mostly terrified of possible beatings," he said. "We went through a harassment period that was never ending. Continued repetition of charges against us, which eventually, of course, were admitted by myself in order to save some people from some fairly serious misfortunes."

Not Done Willfully

"But I never doubted in my mind that the United States government ever considered that I had disobeyed willfully or intentionally the instructions that I had received."

"Any doctoring of the record that has been done since that time (the capture) in the phony press conferences we held up north . . . would never stand up to the court of law."

The North Korean radio meanwhile boasted that the U.S. imperialists bent the knee again to the Korean people." The Ko-

KILLED when North Koreans boarded the Pueblo was Seaman First Class Duane D. Hodges of Creswell, Ore.

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Hart's Name Rumored In Commissioner Bid

CHICAGO (AP) — The search for a baseball commissioner acceptable to both the American and National Leagues began today and rumor's first production was Sen. Phillip Hart of Michigan.

The name of Hart, a friend of baseball, popped out of Washington, D.C., for the \$100,000-a-year job which was left up in the air by club owners dedicated to create a new image for the game.

After 19 ballots and 14 hours,

Perkins Edges Big Bay, 71-69

PERKINS — Seven straight points in 25 seconds enabled the Perkins Yellowjackets to hand the Big Bay de Noc Black Bears their second straight defeat Saturday night by a 71-69 score.

With the score tied, 64-64, with 45 seconds remaining on the clock, Perkins jumped out to a 71-64 lead with only 20 seconds left to be played. Big Bay then scored five straight points only to fall short as time ran out on the clock.

Joe Couillard led four Perkins players in double figures with 24 points on 11 field goals and two free throws. Paul McNutt and Ken Simonsen chipped in with 16 points each and Larry Couillard added 14 to the Perkins attack.

Bill Hartman of Big Bay topped all scorers in the game with 30 points on 12 field goals and six free throws. Hartman's teammates John Lewandowski and Louie Miller chipped in with 15 and 10 points respectively.

The two teams were both hot from the field as Perkins made good on 30 of 57 field goal attempts for 52 per cent and Big Bay connected on 28 of 60 shots from the field for 47 per cent. The Yellowjackets also edged the Black Bears in the rebounding department, 52-48.

Big Bay's junior varsity won the preliminary game, 58-50.

The box score:

Team	FG	FT	PF	TP
BIG BAY	28	13	20	69
Feathers	3	0	4	6
Pomeroy	3	0	5	6
Hartman	12	6	3	31
Lewandowski	5	2	3	15
K. Hartman	6	2	2	10
M. Miller	5	0	3	10
Totals	28	13	20	69

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McNutt	7	2	4	16
L. Couillard	5	4	0	14
LaGesse	0	0	0	0
VanDamme	0	1	5	1
Totals	30	11	16	71

Score by quarters:
Big Bay de Noc 19 13 18 19-69
Perkins 17 15 21 18-71

Auerbach Elected To Hall Of Fame

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Red Auerbach, who coached the Boston Celtics to an unprecedented eight straight National Basketball Association titles before retiring to the general manager's office, has been elected to the Naismith Basketball Hall of Fame.

Named to the Hall with Auerbach Saturday were Coach Adolph Rupp of Kentucky, Coach Henry "Hank" Iba of Oklahoma State, Henry G. "Dutch" Dehner, and Charles H. "Chuck" Taylor. They will be enshrined formally at a dinner here April 13.

More people get more news from newspapers than all other sources combined.

Illinois Dumps Houston To Remain Undefeated

By The Associated Press
UCLA might be the best college basketball team in the rest of the country, but in Houston, unranked Illinois is tops.

The unheralded Fighting Illini all but put some ranking into their Christmas stocking by doing what no team, including UCLA, has been able to do in more than two years—beat Houston at Houston.

The Illini raised their record to 7-0 with a 97-84 victory that ended Houston's 60-game home winning streak and put them in a good spot to at least replace the Cougars as the nation's 20th-ranked team.

Not even UCLA, the NCAA champion the last two years, can equal that performance. The Bruins crushed West Virginia 95-56 for their 68th victory in 69 games, but the only defeat to Houston last season in the Astrodome.

UCLA's victory represented a final tuneup for this weekend's Holiday Festival in New York and for All-American Lew Alcindor and his pulled tendon in his left arch. Both passed easily as the Bruins jumped to a 47-34 halftime lead and breezed and Alcindor scored 19 points and

blocked numerous shots while playing without a limp.

The Uclans meet Providence in the first round Friday night of the tournament that also includes second-ranked North Carolina and eighth-rated Villanova.

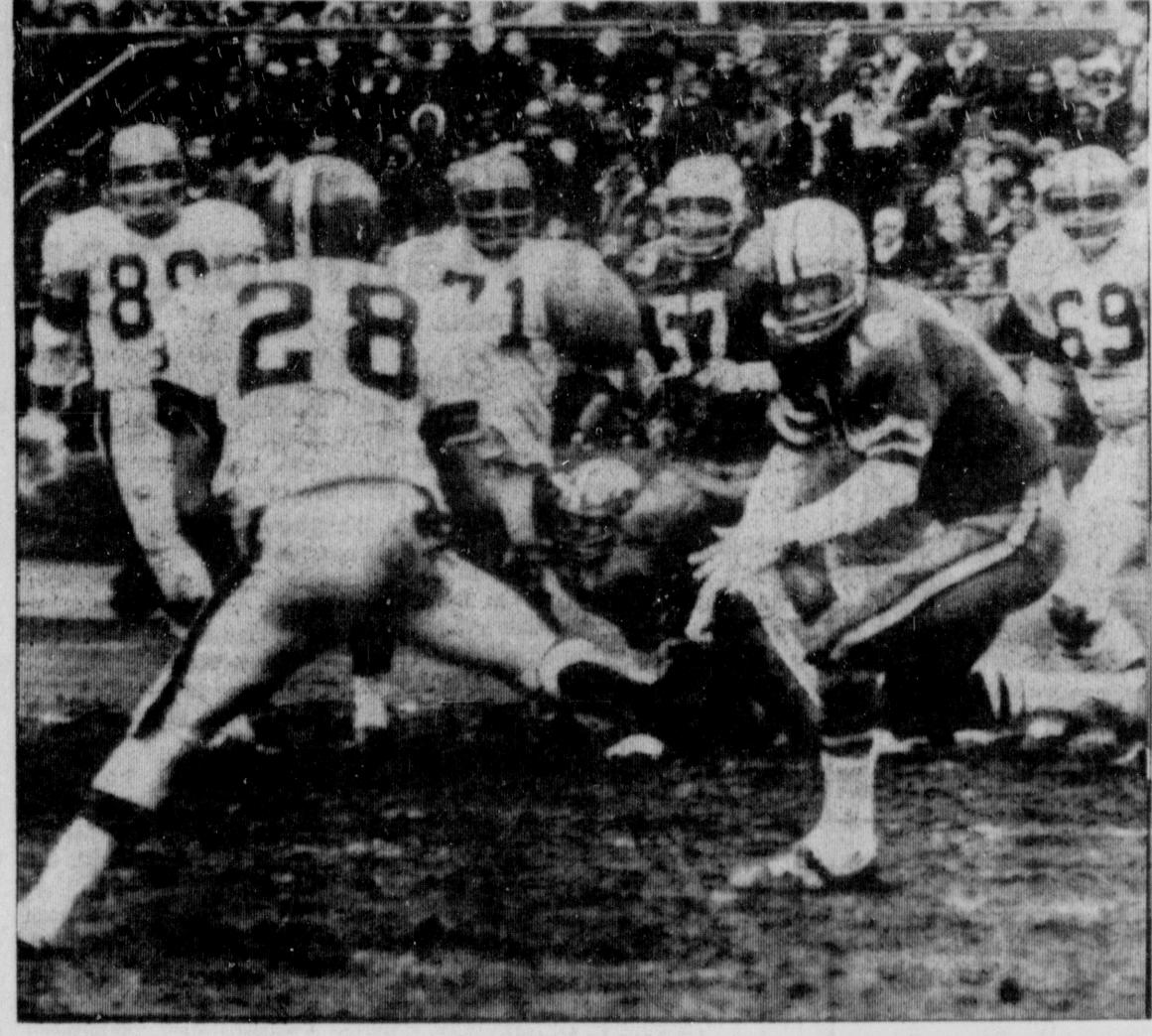
Villanova had an easy tuneup, beating Catholic U., 77-47. North Carolina was idle.

Davidson, No. 3, was idle before heading into the Charlotte Invitational this weekend as the heavy favorite against Texas, Maryland and Wichita State. Cincinnati, No. 6, and Santa Clara, No. 10, rested, too.

The rest of the Top Ten played true to form, led by fourth-ranked Kentucky, which beat undefeated Army 80-65 to win its own tournament, and New Mexico, No. 5, which captured its Lobo Tournament by dropping Temple 83-70.

Purdue was the only Saturday casualty in the second 10, losing to Arizona State 85-80 in the Sun Devil Classic final.

Individually, Pete Maravich of LSU, the nation's top scorer, tossed in 47 points in a 98-89 victory over Georgia.



TOUCHDOWN SETUP — A Dallas Cowboys pass intended for flanker Lance Rentzel (19) is about to be intercepted by Cleveland Browns defensive back Ben Davis (28) in the third quarter of the Eastern Conference playoff game at Cleveland Saturday. The Browns scored on the next play and went on to win, 31-20. (AP Wirephoto)

Bruins Top Canadiens; Take Over First Place

By The Associated Press

Santa Claus visited Boston early and dropped a delightful present under the Bruins' tree — first place in the National Hockey League's East Division.

Faced with consecutive weekend games against first place Montreal, the Bruins responded by tying the Canadiens Saturday night 0-0 and then wiping out a three-goal deficit for a 7-5 victory Sunday that moved them into the top spot.

Derek Sanderson scored a pair of goals—the first one just nine seconds after the opening faceoff—keying a four-goal Boston explosion. Phil Esposito also scored twice for the Bruins, giving him four goals in three games against his kid brother, Tony.

Chicago gave the brother business to Pittsburgh with Bobby Hull and Dennis Hull scoring the third period goals that gave the Black Hawks their fourth straight victory.

Gene Urbriaco got the Penguins off in front but Stan Mikita pulled the Black Hawks even and then Bobby Hull's 23rd of the season and Dennis' No. 16 put the Hawks in charge.

The Rangers snapped an eight-game winless string despite a 45-save performance by Cesare Maniago, Minnesota's goalie. Reg Fleming's power play goal—the Rangers' first tally with a manpower edge in 23 attempts over two weeks—broke a 2-2 tie in the third period.

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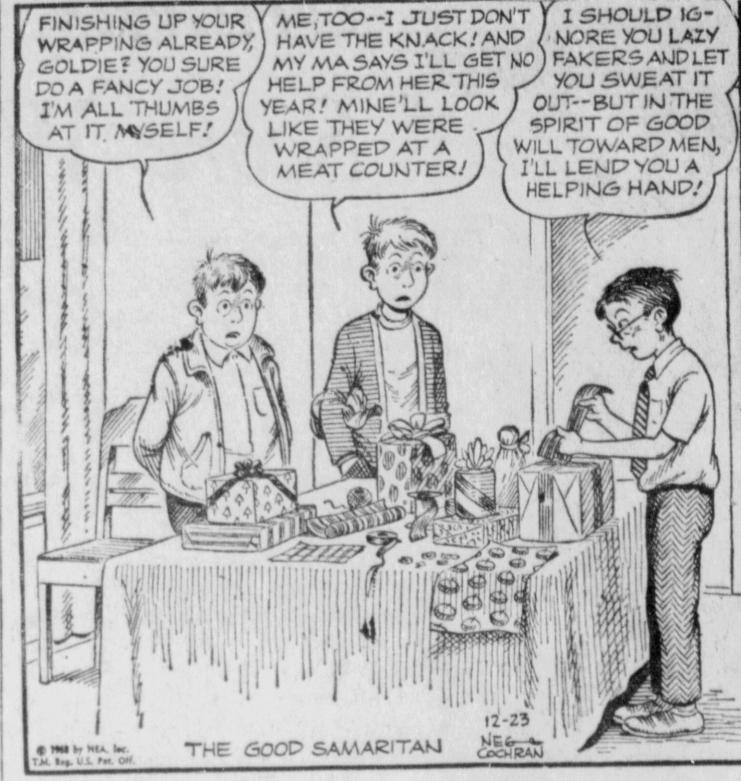
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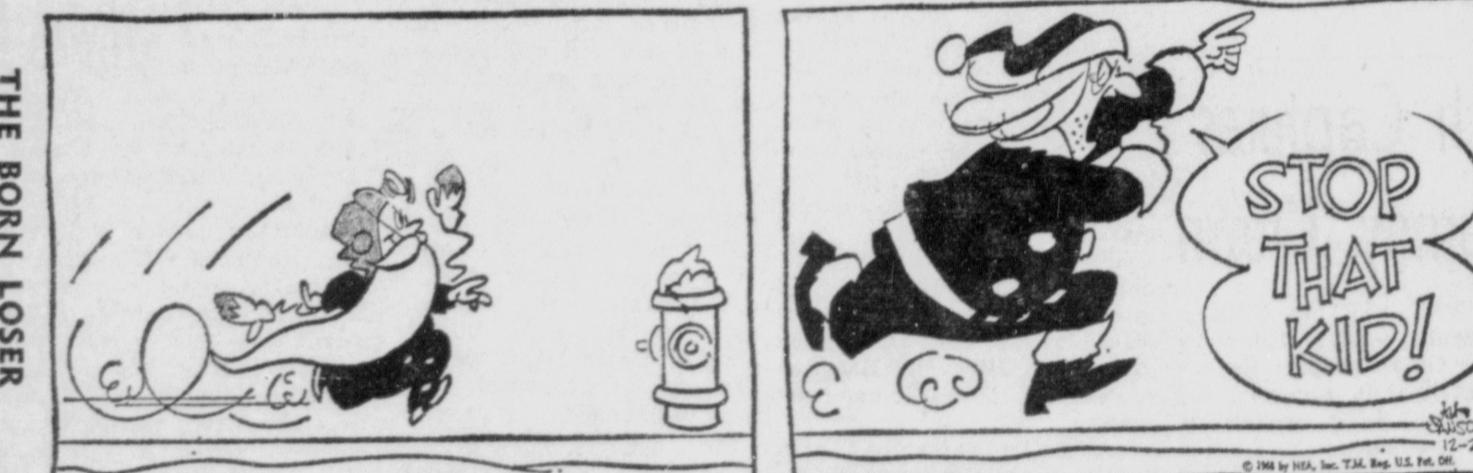
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PEANUTS



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Michigan Breaks Federal Law With Hamburger

By JACQUELINE KORONA

Associated Press Writer

LANSING (AP) — The hamburger you buy at the corner grocery better not have any hearts, lungs or kidneys ground up with the meat.

That's against state standards for comminuted (ground) meat. But chances are you might find those ingredients in hamburgers you get in other states.

Therein lies the problem — and an apparent case of Michigan breaking federal law.

"It's cheaper to fill a casting with tripe than striated muscle," he says.

Some companies, he says, have special production lines for products they send to Michigan in order to comply with the state standards.

"The food inspection division checks on this," he says. "The lab runs tests on the products and if they find ingredients that don't comply with Michigan standards, the processors are brought in for a hearing."

Court Case

"Occasionally we find products that don't comply," he says, "and it's usually because something got in the wrong shipment — one intended for another state."

The department has three or four cases a year, he says.

There was talk about some companies taking Michigan to court because their standards are higher than federal ones, but nothing has yet materialized.

"I don't expect too much to happen," Whitehead says. "I rather think the federal government will consider its standards again. There has been some indication that they would increase standards."

Meanwhile, Whitehead says, Michigan's sausage industry likes the state standards and has asked that they be retained. "They like higher quality products," he says. "They have a reputation for it and they think that is worthwhile."

In Sausage

"We just don't think their federal standards are high

Fly Pueblo Families

To San Diego Reunion

KALAMAZOO (AP) — Mrs. Thomas Barrett wouldn't give up hope of seeing her Pueblo crewman-husband again.

Ursula Barrett, wife of Communications Technician 1C Michael Thomas Barrett, emphasized that: "I never gave up hope. I couldn't afford to."

Now, after 11 months, her hoping has paid off. Barrett and the other 81 crewmen of the U.S. intelligence ship Pueblo are expected to arrive tonight in San Diego.

Six of the ship's crew have relatives in Michigan. The men crossed the North Korean border to freedom in the south (Monday) after long negotiations were concluded between U.S. and North Korean officials at Panmunjom, North Korea.

Mrs. Barrett, living in Kalamazoo, said "It was a really big surprise," but added, "I always thought they'd finally be released."

Her two children, she said, "are so wound up you wouldn't believe it."

Phoned Sunday

Mrs. Barrett said a Navy spokesman telephoned her Sunday afternoon and said she was to fly to San Diego for the arrival.

Engineman fireman apprentice Richard Ivan Bame, another Michigan man released, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bame of Mayberry in Monroe County. Bame's wife Linda lives in Willis in Washtenaw County.

Mrs. Bame also said the Navy informed her the men would arrive in San Diego tonight and she would fly there this afternoon.

Mrs. William Drehab of Portage is a sister of Lt. Edward Benz Murphy Jr. of San Fran-

cisco, another of the released crewmen. She said she was "just delighted" with the news of the release of the brother she hasn't seen for 3½ years.

She said she has seen pictures of Murphy since his capture but that "he looked extremely thin, very bedraggled, like the diet wasn't up to par."

Hasn't Seen Child

Murphy's wife and two children live in California. He has never seen the youngest, eight months old.

Mrs. Drehab said the 31-year-old Murphy was a navigator aboard the Pueblo.

"I'm delighted; I'm very, very happy," she said Sunday. "I have been on cloud nine ever since hearing of the release."

Photographer's Mate 1C Lawrence W. Mack of Livonia was another of the 82 men set free. His wife Kathleen now lives in San Diego.

The fifth man with a relative in Michigan is Communications Technician Anthony A. Lamantia 21, of Steubenville, Ohio. Sister JoAnn, a Dominican nun who teaches at St. Clair School in Grosse Pointe Park, is Lamantia's sister.

The sixth Michigan crewman is Engineman Lawrence E. Strickland, whose wife, Flavina and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence O. Strickland, live in Grand Rapids.

The world's longest fence, a 3,500-mile dingo barrier, encloses the central sheep-raising country in Queensland, Australia, National Geographic says. Six feet high and buried a foot underground, the sturdy wire netting protects sheep from marauding wild dogs.

THE LITTLE WOMAN



MANISTIQUE



MR. AND MRS. OTTO WINKEL of Cooks will be honored at an Open House Saturday from 1-5 p.m. The Winkels six daughters will hostess the affair to which all relatives and friends are being invited to attend.

Otto Winkels Observe Fiftieth Anniversary

An Open House on Saturday, Dec. 28 is being planned by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Winkel of Cooks in honor of their parents' 50th Wedding Anniversary. The Open House will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. at the Winkels' farm home in Cooks.

The former Goldie Bower and Otto Winkel were married Jan. 25, 1919 in Manistique at the home of the late August Winkel. Attendants at the wedding were cousins of the bridegroom, William Winkel and Ella Winkel, both now deceased.

Mr. and Mrs. Winkel have made their home in Cooks since their marriage. Mr. Winkel is a retired farmer.

They are the parents of six daughters, including Mrs. Raymond (Helen) Hull, Mrs. Elmer (Jean) Flodin, Manistique; Mrs. John (Elaine) Hartman; Mrs. Gaylord (Norma) Swagart, and Mrs. Dorothy Thelander, all of Cooks; and Mrs.

Briefly Told

William Eugene Multhaupt, 21, 207 N. Maple, was fined \$15.00 and \$5.80 costs and sentenced to two days in jail when he appeared before Justice Howard Magoo on Friday and pleaded guilty to assault and battery. Multhaupt was arrested by Michigan State Police on Friday upon complaint of his wife.

Hospital

Admitted to Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital were Russell Pronto, Paul Simmerman and Mildred Lowery.

Discharged were Marie Bouchor, Lavonne Kerbersky, Otto Wilcox and John Middaugh.

Sleeping Pills Aid Tired Astronauts

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — The three Apollo 8 astronauts had varying degrees of luck getting to sleep over the weekend.

Only Navy Capt. James A. Lovell Jr. appeared to have little trouble snoozing. Through Sunday night he was the only one who had not asked for sleeping tablets.

Air Force Col. Frank Borman, the command pilot, was the first to try for some shut-eye Saturday, and the first to ask for a Second, described as a short-acting sleeping pill. Permission was given.

Lovell and Air Force Maj. William A. Anders got to sleep all right during their first rest cycle Saturday. But late Sunday Anders decided he needed a sleeping pill and ground controllers concurred.

John (Olive) Soli of Ellendale Minn. The Kinkels also have 28 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

All relatives and friends are invited to attend the Open House in honor of the Winkels' Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Robert Schwartz Dies In Detroit

Funeral services and burial rites were held in Detroit on Wednesday for Robert Schwartz 67, formerly of Nahma, who died Dec. 15. Mr. Schwartz was a son-in-law of Mrs. Leo Cousineau and a brother-in-law of Mrs. Dorothy Maynard, both of 402 Walnut St.

Survivors include his wife, the former Margaret Cousineau; a daughter, Mrs. Clyde Palmer; a son, Peter Schwartz; two sisters, Mrs. Jack Graze and Mrs. Homer Jones; three brothers, Alfred, Fred and Stanford Schwartz. Eight grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Cousineau and Mrs. Maynard and Raymond Maynard of Manistique attended the funeral services which were held from St. Agatha's Church in Detroit.

City Briefs

Maj. and Mrs. Ronald Walton and daughters of Leavensworth, Kan. are spending the holidays with Mrs. Walton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Swanson, 930 Deer St. Maj. Walton recently returned from two years duty in Vietnam and is now attending Officers Senior College in Kansas.

Spending their Christmas recess from Wisconsin State University at Superior are Jerry Bellville, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bellville, Sr., 630 Garden Ave., and James McDonough, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDonough, 620 Garden Ave.

Births

HARRIS — Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harris, of 907 Saginaw Ave., are the parents of a girl born Friday, Dec. 20 at Schoolcraft Memorial Hospital and weighing seven pounds and one-half ounce. The mother is the former Bonnie Provo.

I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by anyone other than myself.

JOEL KRAUSE

NOTICE TO ALL RESIDENTS OF MANISTIQUE

Notice is hereby given that the regular Tuesday garbage pick-up will be completed by noon on Tuesday. All residents are asked to have their garbage out by 8 a.m. Tuesday to facilitate pick-up.

There will be no garbage pick-up on Wednesday, Dec. 25. This collection will be made on Thursday.

Notice is further given that all city offices will be closed at 12 noon on Dec. 24.

CITY OF MANISTIQUE

Inner City Plan Goes To Council

DETROIT (AP)—A \$20 million plan for inner city action was submitted today to the Detroit Common Council.

The plan calls first for better housing for residents of the inner city. Drawing up the blueprint was the 102-man Citizens Governing Board (CGB), speaking for residents of the inner city.

After housing the group listed employment, health and education as primary needs of people in an area bounded roughly by Hamtramck, downtown Detroit, Mt. Elliott on the east and Grand River and the New York Central Railroad tracks on the east—an area of about 19 square miles.

The group asks that its blueprint be used in Detroit's share of the federal Model City funds. Specifics included:

—A model neighborhood police precinct with civilian review boards for each of several suggested subprecincts.

—A joint development council of CGB members and city officials who would promote better housing.

—A five-year program to raise incomes in the area.

—Citizens councils to participate in school decisions.

—Offices in each school to pass out information on benefits available to them, but for which they do not apply because of lack of knowledge.

—Prepaid health insurance for all inner city residents.

Numerous other reforms were suggested in the package.

The group indicated in a statement that it was prepared for a lengthy attack on the ills of the inner city:

"The belief that all goals can be fully achieved within five years is perhaps a pleasant fiction. Conditions which have been developed over 50 years cannot all be corrected in five."

Board Member Takes Son Out Of Public School

LIVONIA (AP) — Because of what he described as "the lack of direction and discipline in the school and the lack of getting parents involved," a member of the State Board of Education has withdrawn his 16-year-old son from a public school.

James F. O'Neil, 44, said he was forced to transfer his son, Mark, from Stevenson High School in Livonia to Detroit Central Catholic High School. O'Neil says the boy is now "getting moral instruction every day in the classroom."

"Our whole program taken in moral and ethical values," responded Benton Yates, superintendent of the Livonia school district. He said he was interested in working out the differences with O'Neil and the state board member said this weekend in an interview that he was willing to discuss the matter.

Although O'Neil says the whole Livonia school system is too permissive, a younger son remains at a public elementary school.

Antifilibuster Rule Up For Senate Reform

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sens. Philip A. Hart, D-Mich., and Jacob K. Javits, R-N.Y., sought the support of their colleagues Sunday for another effort to change the Senate's antifilibuster rule.

The attempt will be made soon after the 91st Congress convenes Jan. 3.

In letters sent to all other members, the two senators said President-elect Nixon, when vice president, ruled several times that a majority of the Senate of a new Congress can act at the opening to determine the rules governing its operation. They said Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey, who will be presiding Jan. 3, has taken the same position.

This argument—that a majority of the Senate can fix its rules when a new Congress meets—has been used by foes of the present filibuster rule in all of the attempts made to change it over the last several years, but they have not been able to make it stick.

Turkey Dinner For Astronauts

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — The Apollo 8 astronauts will be up to 200,000 miles out in space on Christmas Day, but they'll still have a traditional Christmas turkey dinner.

And it'll be real turkey, not freeze dehydrated.

The turkey meat was prepared by the U.S. Army Natick Laboratories and packaged in airtight foil. The turkey is much like meat that has been canned. It's cut in slices and the astronauts will eat it with a spoon.

Packaged with the dinner are cranberry-apple sauce, coffee and a grape drink. These items are freeze dehydrated.

And to give it a festive air, the packages are tied with red ribbons.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Circuit Court for the County of
DETROIT

ORDER TO ANSWER
File No. 912
Barbara McDonald

Plaintiff.

vs.
Clinton Ray McDonald

Defendant.

On August 26, 1968, an action was filed by Barbara McDonald, Plaintiff, against Clinton Ray McDonald, Defendant, in this Court to obtain a judgment of absolute divorce.

It is hereby ordered that the Defendant, Clinton Ray McDonald, be served or take other action as may be permitted by law on or before March 3, 1969. Failure to comply with this order will result in a judgment by default against the Defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this Court.

BERNARD H. DAVIDSON

Circuit Judge.

Date of Order: Dec. 4, 1968.

Plaintiff's Attorney.

Business Address:

703 Ludington Street

Escanaba, Michigan 49829

Telephone: 786-2303

Dec. 9, 16, 23, 30, 1968 A-17997

ORDINANCE NO. 517

AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE THAT PORTION OF THE STREET RIGHT-OF-WAY LYING ON 61H AVENUE SOUTH DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BOUNDED ON THE SOUTH BY 61H AVENUE, 80.15 FEET NORTH OF 61H AVENUE, LEL TO THE SOUTH LINE OF 6TH AVENUE SOUTH, AS PLATED, ON THE WEST BY THE EXTENSION OF THE WEST LINE OF BLOCK 5 OF THE LUDINGTON ADDITION; THE EAST BY THE EXTENSION OF THAT EAST LINE OF BLOCK 5 OF THE LUDINGTON ADDITION AND ON THE NORTH BY THE WEST LINE OF LOT 6 OF BLOCK 5 OF THE LUDINGTON ADDITION.

THE CITY OF ESCANABA ORDAINS:

CHAPTER I
AREA TO BE VACATED

Section 101. The City of Escanaba hereby vacates and discontinues that portion of the street right-of-way on 6th Avenue South,

CHAPTER II
REASON FOR VACATION

Section 201. None.

CHAPTER III
NOTIFICATION

Section 301. This ordinance is passed after due notice has been given as required by Section 2 of Chapter XII of the City Charter and by Ordinance No. 65 of the City of Escanaba, as amended, and by Act No. 207 of the Public Acts of Michigan for 1921, as amended, that the Council would hear objections to the vacating and discontinuing of the aforementioned and described property on December 19, 1968.

CHAPTER IV
REPEAL DATE

Section 401. All ordinances or parts of ordinance in conflict here-with are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER V
EFFECTIVE DATE

Section 501. This ordinance shall be duly published as required by law, and shall be in full force and effect ten days after its passage and publication.

Guindon, Clerk of the City of Escanaba, Michigan, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing ordinance was duly passed and adopted at a meeting of the City Council held on December 19, 1968.

DONALD J. GUINDON
CITY CLERK

1806 Dec. 23, 1968

ORDINANCE NO. 518

AN ORDINANCE TO VACATE SIX FOOT EASEMENT FOR STREET LIGHT CABLE LYING BETWEEN LOTS 33 AND 34 OF THE PARKWAY ESTATES SUB-DIVISION.

THE CITY OF ESCANABA ORDAINS:

CHAPTER I
AREA TO BE VACATED

Section 101. The City of Escanaba hereby vacates and discontinues the six foot easement for street light cable lying between lots 33 and 34 of the Parkway Estates Sub-

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Card of Thanks

Ramseth

I wish to thank all those who visited and sent cards to me while I was a patient at St. Francis Hospital.

Paul Ramseth, Rock

DETROIT, MI

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A HOLIDAY VALUES SALE TO HELP YOU
CLOSED ALL DAY CHRISTMAS

HAVE A VERY
Merry Christmas!



IS THE WEEK before Christmas...
and all through our store... not a
chance have we missed... to offer
you more... More goodness, more
savings, more variety too... in short,
merry values... Merry Christmas
to you!

BEER, WINE
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GET YOUR FANCY
LIQUOR DECANTERS

KEG BEER ALSO AVAILABLE

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CAKE MIXES
9 oz. pkg.
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MARSHMALLOWS**
10½ oz. pkgs.
2 For 39¢

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CRANBERRY SAUCE
16-Oz. Cans **4 For 89¢**

MELSTER
ANGEL FOOD CANDY
Lb. Bag **69¢**

SWANSON'S FROZEN
DINNERS

Noodle & Chicken 10 oz.
Spaghetti Meat Balls or Macaroni &
Cheese 13 oz.

3 For \$1

NEW BORDEN'S
SURFER-SMASH
ICE MILK
½ Gal. **49¢**

HILLS BROS. COFFEE
3 Lb. Can **\$1.99**

ZESTEE
SALAD DRESSING
qt. **33¢**

ROYAL GUEST
**MANDARIN
ORANGES**
11 oz. cans
5 For \$1.00

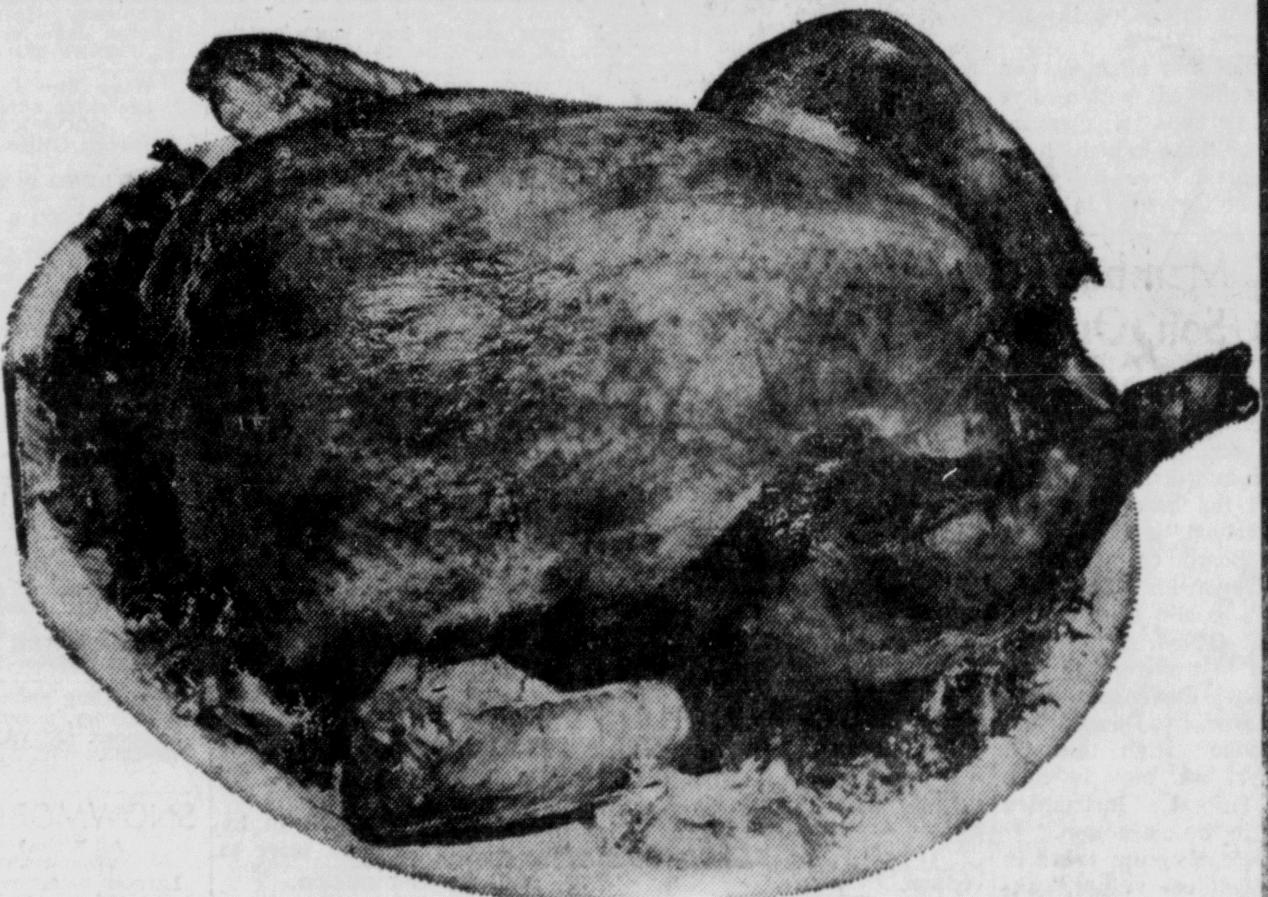
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**WHOLE
POTATOES**
1 lb. tins
8 For \$1.00

MARASCHINO
CHERRIES
10-Oz. **3 For \$1.00**

LIBBY
PUMPKIN PIE MIX
1-Lb. 13-Oz. **39¢**

KRAFT'S PHILADELPHIA
CREAM CHEESE
8-Oz. Pkg. **29¢**

NAVEL Oranges	NEW LOUISIANA YAMS	PASCAL Celery	U. S. NO. 1 LOCAL Potatoes 20 Lbs.
LARGE SIZE 59¢ Doz.	13¢ Lb.	21¢	59¢



Turkey
18 LB. TO 22 LB.
U. S. D. A.
GRADE "A" **33¢**
Lb.

KEMP'S
SNOW WHITE
LUTEFISK
49¢
Lb.

SKINLESS, SHANKLESS
HAM WHOLE OR HALF **69¢**
Lb.

PLANKINTON
**SLICED
BACON**
69¢
Lb.

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**CANNED
HAM**
5 Lb. Tin **\$4.09**

TABLERITE
**PORK SAUSAGE
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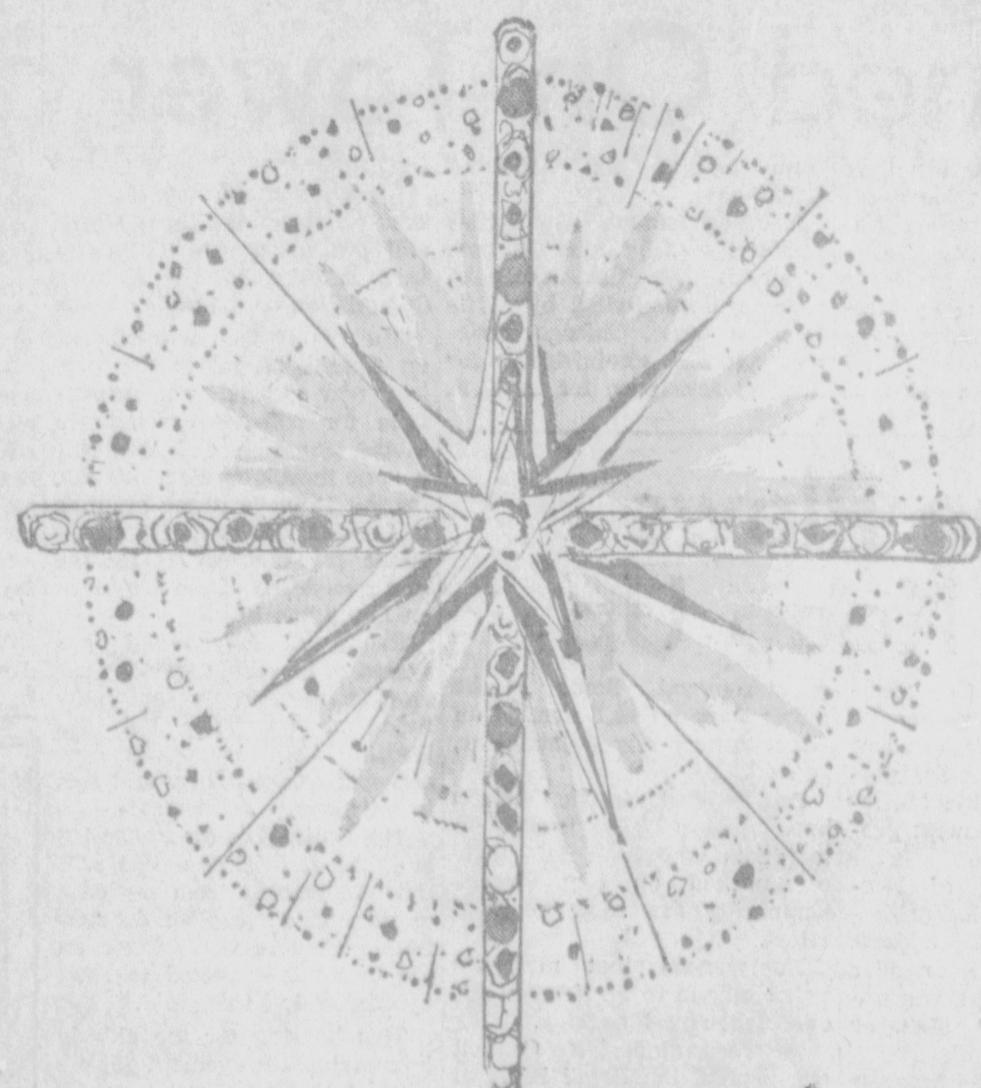
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FOODLINER**



Joy and Peace at Christmas

Around us, the wonder of Christmas spreads its joy and warmth. The radiance of a Star shines into our hearts, as once it shone above a sacred manger, heralding the miracle of the Holy Birth.

As you observe Christmas with those near and dear to you, may you rejoice anew at the true, deep meaning of this most glorious time. And may the peace and joy of the season be an ever present blessing, to light the way for all men, everywhere.



BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY AND BLESSED CHRISTMAS FROM:

Elmer—Phoebe—Wayne—Gary

Judith Dagenais
Lois Dagenais
Richard Dagenais
Bruce Anderson
Delores Bartosz
James Beckstrom
Lorraine Curran
Philip DeRouin
Judith Gallagher
Francis Gersich
Patricia Gunville
Dennis Johnson
Jeannie Lindstrom

Thomas Lynch
Charles Makosky
Helen McDonald
Henry Mroczkowski
Diane Olsen
Robert Perron
Patricia Poquette
Larry Pratt
Jerome Scheriff
Walter Severinsen
Gary Sheedlo
Marcine Smith
Gary Swanson
Jerry Thibodeau

Robert Townsend
Gary Way
Dennis Wendt
Judith Zimmerman
Anna Charles
Walter Flinn
Grace Seidl
Richard Bowden
Mary Gustafson
Kenneth Mahoney
Christine Olson
David Olson
Irene Slaga
Jerome Bernier

Lester Cody
Germaine Deno
Robert Fillion
Margaret Long
Noah Marcoe
Eunice Morin
Bella Owen
Sherri Scheuren
Gordon Strom
Annetta Thomma
Reynold Vanlerberghe
Marie Way
Dale Cochrane

MEL & ELMER'S
SUPER VALU

Senior Citizen Housing Now Assured

Go Ahead Signal Flashed On Tower

Escanaba got the green light on its project to provide housing for the elderly when Howard Smale, administrative assistant to City Manager George Harvey, visited Chicago yesterday and got final federal approval of the project.

"Now nothing can stop us

from getting this housing," said Smale.

The agreement was trilateral; signed by John Gannon, president of the Escanaba Housing Commission, by William Bergeron, Chicago, assistant regional administrator for housing assistance for the U.S.

'Stique Plows Can't Keep Up

MANISTIQUE — City council will meet in special session Friday afternoon at 4:30 to hear a progress report on the preliminary survey of the Manistique harbor improvement program.

Kenneth Buckland of Northern Michigan Engineers, Escanaba, scheduled to address council during the regular meeting Monday night, was unable to attend. City Manager Robert Noe said.

Noe reported on the progress of the Senior Citizens Housing Project and said that workmen were beginning to brick the frames. Ground was broken for the 35-unit complex in October, with construction expected to be completed in late spring or early summer.

Noe also said that although city crews have been working 16 hours a day for the past few days, it is physically impossible to keep up with the need for

snow removal. Some of the plows start out at 2 a.m. in an effort to keep city streets clear, he said.

And several traffic tickets have already been issued to motorists who have left their cars parked on city streets, hampering the snow removal effort.

Noe warned that motorists will continue to be ticketed for overnight street parking.

Before adjourning Council commended the Retail Division of the Top O' The Lake Chamber of Commerce, Edison Sault Electric Co., and all who donated labor and materials to the Christmas lighting, recently installed on the city's main streets.

Council also approved payment of \$1,945.86 to Roemer Electric for materials and labor and \$1,132 individual labor costs for installation of the new lights.



SOME CHICAGO RESIDENTS will get their mail late because of this accident on U. S. 41 just west of here early this morning. The driver, Dennis Umlauf, West Allis, Wis., told police the wind caught his semi-trailer unit, which struck a parked construction trailer and plunged over a 35-foot embankment. He was unhurt. The truck was bound from Iron Mountain, Mich., to Chicago with 50 bags of mail. (AP Wirephoto)

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Apollo 8 Also Has 'Rest Stops'

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — As they neared the moon Monday night, the Apollo 8 astronauts faced a situation familiar to many a traveler on earth: How far to the next rest stop?

Every few hours during the flight, the astronauts open a valve to dump excess water, including urine, overboard. Because Apollo 8 is sailing through a vacuum, the dump exerts a small amount of thrust on the ship and alters its course ever so slightly.

The "bug" that was holding up final approval of the project, now cleared, was responsible for relocation assistance to the property holders who will be moved to clear the site for the 18 story tower building to provide 176 low cost apartments for the elderly on the east two-thirds of the 500 block on Ludington St.

Rakita & Blumenfeld has agreed to be responsible for the moving of the persons now living on the site, but the Housing Commission has now accepted responsibility and this is satisfactory all around.

The contract is for \$2,550,448 and Rakita & Blumenfeld will have 18 months from the date of signing to complete the contract. Construction work on the tower is expected to start by March 1, Smale said.

This housing for the elderly is a major achievement for the City of Escanaba in its master development plan. Next in line is housing for low income families. The possibilities of a turnkey project to provide such housing will be explored and refined by the Escanaba City Planning Commission. The Housing Commission has made application for federal aid on 50 units of such housing in order to get on the HUD priority list, but there has been no study of the project in depth yet. It is known that the need for such housing exists, said Smale, but the degree of need and the resources to meet it are still to be developed, he said.

Christmas Is A Personal Joy

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you're eating and there's lots of ways to cook 'em. We farmers have got to live, too."

(U. P. newspaper heading, June 1, 1910: "Spuds 15 cents a bushel and 28 ways to cook them.")

Rev. Frederick A. Kuder, Presbyterian: "We're pleased to give all you children candy at our Christmas party, but it's just a little gift in the holiday spirit and not really what Christmas is about. Christmas is the Christ Child bringing hope to the world."

Wally Seidl, grocer: "Eating habits don't seem to change a great deal. The food is better, and more of it is processed now. People don't crack their own nuts any more and I don't sell many cluster raisins. Christmas dinner may not seem as great as it used to because all of our meals now are a feast compared to those in the old days."

Pat Scanlan: "They used to let the married men in the logging camps go home for Christmas. It was the only big break in their winter. Many mill companies wouldn't even let the men out of the camps to vote; they were afraid that they'd never get them back in the woods again. So letting them go home for Christmas was something very special."

Mrs. Mary VanCalligan: "For Christmas (1870) we just made a tree. Mother decorated it with pictures cut out of magazines, and with cookies like horses and dogs and such and with a lot of colored stick candy. We poured our candles ourselves and we made them smaller for the Christmas tree. And mother made little ducks and eggs and nests out of pastry, and gingerbread-men with red sugar on their hats."

Julia Desmond, English teacher: "Christ is the mystique of Christmas, of course, stirring the mind to goodness. It's interesting that our forefathers, simple people living simple lives close to the soil, welcomed make believe. Like Santa Claus. It was an escape from the hard realism of their lives. Now we are more sophisticated but oddly we seem to feel just as much need for make believe. Reality isn't enough by itself. We need that extra dimension of fancy. Ho, Ho, Ho, yourself, Santa."

Grant Increased

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Department of Housing and Urban Development Monday increased a Pontiac urban renewal grant by \$29,765. The addition brings Pontiac's total grant to \$6,075,862.

The earth is composed of six thousand quintillion tons of water, air and rock; the sun contains 350,000 times more matter.

Chain Mishaps Tie Up 100 Cars

HARPER WOODS (AP)—The involved in a second accident at Christmas rush ground to a shrieking halt on the Edsel Ford Expressway in suburban Harper Woods Monday night as four accidents involving almost 100 cars tied up traffic for more than five hours.

No one was believed killed or even seriously injured.

The bumping got under way at about 4:30 p.m. when a truck jackknifed trying to avoid a minor mishap and wound up crowded across all three westbound lanes. Sixty more cars skidded into one another trying to avoid the truck, police said.

No sooner had four police units and twelve wreckers cleared the debris from the first accident than another car skidded and twenty more autos were

Grosse Pointe Shores and St. Clair Shores departments under a mutual assistance pact. State Police were not involved.

The freeway finally was cleared and salted after St. Clair Shores police blocked east-bound traffic ahead of the accident scene long enough for salt trucks to operate.

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